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INDIAN AMBASSADOR KHILNANI (RESIDENT BUCHAREST) INFORMS US ROMANIAN VISIT OF CHOU EN LAI ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR MARCH, THEN MOVED TO MAY, POSTPONED INDEFINITELY BY ROMANIANS. THEY ALLEGEDLY MERELY STATED TIMING NOT CONVENIENT AS IT INTERFERED WITH TITO; IRANIAN SHAH VISITS. HE BELIEVES ROMANIANS HAVE CONSIDERABLY COOLED TOWARD CHINESE. TUCH
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THEY HAVE NO REPORTS OF POSSIBLE CH-EN YI VISIT TO EUROPE.

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REF: A. DEPT 517 TO COPENHAGEN, INFO HONGKONG 1263.
B. CONGENTEL 1772 TO DEPT (NOTARS)

SUBJ: CHEN YI VISIT TO DENMARK

1. DANISH AMBASSADOR TO PEKING OLDENBURG IN CONVERSATION WITH CONGEN OFFICER APRIL 14 CONFIRMED THAT INVITATION HAD BEEN EXTENDED FOR CHICOM FOREIGN MINISTER CHEN YI TO VISIT DENMARK. WE DID NOT CITE ORIGIN OF OUR INFORMATION, AND INFERRED THAT HE MIGHT HAVE PROVIDED IT HIMSELF IN COURSE OF FOLLOW-UP CONVERSATION WE HAD WITH HIM AFTER OUR SESSION

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OF MARCH 29 (CONGEN'S 1772 TO DEPARTMENT), DURING WHICH HE TOLD US OF HIS CONTACTS WITH VICE FOREIGN MINISTER WANG PING-NAN, WHO HANDLES PEKING'S RELATIONS WITH BOTH EASTERN AND WESTERN EUROPE. WE SURMISE FROM THIS THAT INVITATION MAY WELL HAVE BEEN OUTGROWTH OF CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN OLDENBURG AND WANG. OLDENBURG IN FACT MENTIONED THAT HE HAD SPOKEN TO WANG OF DESIRABILITY OF INCREASED SINO-DANISH INTERCHANGES.

2. OLDENBURG ALSO CONFIRMED THAT NO FIRM DATE HAS BEEN

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SET FOR VISIT. THIS SOUNDS TO US, AS DEPARTMENT HAS INDICATED, THAT CHICOMS MAY BE FISHING AROUND FOR ADDITIONAL INVITATIONS FROM SCANDINAVIAN OR OTHER COUNTRIES BEFORE SETTING FIRM DATES. HOWEVER, SWEDISH AMBASSADOR TO PEKING LENNART PETRI TOLD US ON APRIL 9 THAT HE HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF ANY INTENTIONS ON CHEN YI'S PART TO PAY VISIT TO SWEDEN OR ANYWHERE ELSE IN SCANDINAVIA, FOR THAT MATTER. CONCEIVABLE THAT CHICOMS MAY BE WAITING FOR PETRI'S RETURN TO PEKING FROM VISIT TO JAPAN AND SOUTH KOREA BEFORE PROCEEDING ANY FURTHER, AT LEAST AS FAR AS INVITATION TO SWEDEN IS CONCERNED.

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3. SINCE OLDENBURG SEEMED RATHER SENSITIVE ON SCORE OF PROJECTED CHEN YI VISIT, WE WOULD APPRECIATE HIS NAME NOT BEING CITED IN CONNECTION WITH IT. ALTHOUGH NOT FULLY FRANK WITH US ON THIS ISSUE OLDENBURG HAS BEEN VERY HELPFUL IN FILLING US IN ON OTHER MATTERS, AND WE WOULD NOT WISH TO LOSE HIM AS SOURCE. WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE PETRI'S NAME BEING PROTECTED.

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1. THERE FOLLOWS SUBSTANCE OF TAPE-RECORDED TRANSCRIPT OF LIU-AYUB TOASTS AT MARCH 27 BANQUET. SOURCE, PAK STRINGER TIME-LIFE, CLAIMS TRANSCRIPT OBTAINED AT SOME COST IS AUTHENTIC AND WAS NOT RELEASED TO PRESS.

2. LIU TOAST: TALKS WITH AYUB HARMONIOUS. FRIENDLY RELATIONS AND COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES SATISFACTORY. VERY FAVORABLE CONDITION FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT THESE RELATIONS. IN NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION AND FOREIGN POLICY WE REQUIRE OF EACH OTHER NOTHING PARTICULAR OTHER THAN UNITY AGAINST AGGRESSION. WE HAVE NO INTENTION WHATSOEVER DO YOU HARM,

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NOR DO YOU, WE BELIEVE, HAVE ANY INTENTION DO US HARM. BASIC POLICY BOTH SIDES IS EQUALITY, MUTUAL BENEFIT AND NON-INTERFERENCE EACH OTHERS INTERNAL AFFAIRS. NO REASON WHY OUR FRIENDLY RELATIONS CANNOT CONTINUE DEVELOP AND HAVE FULL CONFIDENCE IN FURTHER STRENGTHENING THOSE RELATIONS.

3. AYUB RESPONSE: WHAT LIU AND I TALKING ABOUT ALL DAY REALLY BASED UPON OUR REQUIREMENTS BRING ABOUT AND MAINTAIN PEACE IN THESE REGIONS. WE ALL NEED PEACE BADLY IN ORDER BE ABLE DO THINGS WE WANT TO DO. WE HAVE EMERGED FROM COLONIALISM. SO CHINA EMERGED FROM COLONIALISM. THEY AND WE HAVE SO MUCH TO DO. WE HAVE TREMENDOUS INTEREST IN PEACE AND THAT MAIN TOPIC DISCUSSED. WE ALSO DISCUSSED EXTENT OUR MUTUAL RELATIONSHIP AS NEIGHBOURLY COUNTRIES. HAVE TAKEN OPPORTUNITY THANK

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1. PALUDAN (ACTING DIRGEN, POLITICAL DIVISION, FONOFF) SAYS FONMIN HAEKKERUP SPOKE TO UNDERSECRETARY BALL IN PARIS MARCH 29 ABOUT POSSIBLE VISIT OF CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI AND SUBSEQUENTLY DEPT DISCUSSED MATTER WITH DANISH AMBASSADOR. PALUDAN FURNISHED FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

2. FONOFF RECORDS INDICATE SOME MONTHS AGO WHEN POSSIBLE CHEN YI VISIT TO FRANCE WAS FIRST REPORTED, FINNISH AMBASSADOR

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PEIPING REQUESTED AND RECEIVED AUTHORIZATION TO INVITE CHEN YI TO VISIT FINLAND IF HE WOULD BE VISITING OTHER COUNTRIES BESIDES FRANCE. NO INVITATION ISSUED AS YET.

3. FONOFF HAS NOT REPEAT NOT ISSUED INVITATION NOR AUTHORIZED DANISH AMBASSADOR PEIPING TO DO SO. FONOFF HAS NO PRESENT PLANS TO EXTEND INVITATION ALTHOUGH IT HAS RECEIVED "FEELERS" INVITATION WOULD BE WELL RECEIVED.

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-2- 697, April 14, from Copenhagen.

4. FONOFF HAS NO DEFINITE INFORMATION THAT CHEN YI TRIP IS BEING PLANNED OR WHEN BUT IF TRIP MATERIALIZES FONOFF UNDOUBTEDLY WOULD INVITE HIM TO VISIT DENMARK.

5. QUESTION PROBABLY WILL BE DISCUSSED AT NORDIC COUNCIL FONMINS MEETING IN STOCKHOLM APRIL 25-26.

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APRIL 13 CHICOM CULTURAL DELEGATION HEADED BY VICE-CHAIRMAN

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JUNE. SOURCE STATES CHARGE WAS TOLD DENMARK WOULD RECEIVE

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KARACHI PRESS APRIL 14 HAS GIVEN SHORT SHRIFT TO LIU VISIT EAST PAK APR 15-17. ENGLISH-LANGUAGE AND VERNACULARS CARRIED SUBSTANTIALLY SAME SHORT ADVANCE STORY BASED APP EITHER ON FRONT OR BACK PAGES BUT IN NO CASE IN PLACE FIRST PROMINENCE.

STORY, WHICH ACCORDING DAWN HEAD DESCRIBES "ROUSING" WELCOME TO BE GIVEN LIU, FAIRLY SUBDUED AND IS MAINLY OUTLINE LIU PROGRAM, WITH SUCH DETAILS AS SPECIAL DRINKING WATER BOOTHS TO BE AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC ENROUTE. SEPARATE SHORT PRESS NOTES HAVE INDICATED PRESIDENT AYUB ARRIVING Dacca APRIL 14 TO PARTICIPATE LIU VISIT AND THAT HE WILL RETURN KARACHI APR 18 TO RECEIVE KING OF SAUDI ARABIA.

SHOAIB TO US

APRIL 14 MORNING NEWS CARRIED FEATURE STORY DATED LINED PINDI DESCRIBING FOMIN SHOAIB'S FORTHCOMING TRIP TO US. STORY PLAYED STRAIGHT IN SENSE THAT IT DID NOT REPEAT NOT ATTEMPT FORCE

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US HAND BY HOLDING OUT PROSPECTS FOR QUICK RESUMPTION AID OR BY IMPLYING THREATS. ON CONTRARY, STORY NOTED THAT DESPITE SHOAIB'S HIGH STANDING IN FINANCIAL CIRCLES IN US, HE WOULD BE "LAST PERSON" RAISE ANY HOPES THAT HIS VISIT WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE RESUMPTION OF US ECONOMIC AID TO PAK, AND THAT AMERICAN'S PREOCCUPATION WITH "GLOBAL STRATEGY" MIGHT BE HINDRANCE. SHOAIB WOULD, IN OWN WORDS, TRY DISPEL "MISUNDERSTANDINGS" INDIAN PM ATTEMPTED "DESPERATELY" TO CREATE DURING HER RECENT VISIT TO US AND "TELL PAK SIDE OF STORY." STORY CONCLUDED

WITH NOTE THAT "OBSERVERS" HOPE SOUNDNESS OF PAK ECONOMY WILL PERSUADE US TO RESUME AID TO PAK, BUT "NO EXAGGERATED HOPES BEING PINNED ON OUTCOME OF MISSION" AND NATION BEING COUNSELLED TO BE PREPARED TO "TIGHTEN BELT LITTLE MORE RATHER THAN COMPROMISE ITS SELF-RESPECT."

COMMENT: SHOAIB STORY REPRESENTS IN OUR OPINION SPECIFIC EXAMPLE OF RELATIVELY GENERAL BLANDNESS KARACHI PRESS IN RECENT DAYS. ANTI-AMERICAN NOTE MUTED IN ENGLISH-LANGUAGE PRESS. IT STILL SOUNDED MORE OFTEN AND MORE SHARPLY IN VERNACULARS WHICH FRANKLY CRITICAL OF US POLICY VIET-NAM AND ECONOMIC POLICY VIS-A-VIS PAKISTAN. BUT EVEN VERNACULAR EDITS NOT REPEAT NOT VIOLENT IN TONE OR LANGUAGE. INDIAN THEMES RECEIVING FAR LESS ATTENTION THAN, SAY, WEEK AGO WHEN SUCH COVERAGE TOOK DEEP DIVE FOLLOWING VACATING OF SIALKOT POSTS BY INDIANS. KASHMIR STILL RECEIVES ATTENTION. PAKS HAVE MADE CLEAR THEIR COMMITMENT. TASHKENT DID NOT REPEAT NOT CARRY ANY PROMISE THEY WOULD DESIST IN SUPPORT KASHMIRI CAUSE.

BUT EVEN HERE CERTAIN PROPRIETY OF TONE IS OBSERVED. ATTEMPT IS TO PUT ONUS ON INDIANS AS, FOR EXAMPLE, APRIL 14 DAWN FEATURE STORY DATED LONDON CONCERNING ALLEGED PROMULGATION BY INDIA OF NEW LAW MAKING IT GRAVE OFFENCE TO QUESTION "ACCESSION"

OF KASHMIR AND OTHER STATES TO INDIAN UNION. LINE OF DAWN AND KARACHI PRESS GENERALLY IS NOT REPEAT NOT TO DENIGRATE TASHKENT DECLARATION, WHICH STILL PUBLICLY SUPPORTED, BUT TO PIN RESPONSIBILITY ON INDIA FOR SABOTAGING IT.

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1. MIDDLE GRADE OFFICER DEALING DIRECTLY WITH ASIAN AFFAIRS
FOR MINISTRY SAYS SWEDES HAD HEARD CH'EN YI WOULD BE VISITING
FINLAND THIS SUMMER. HE HAD HEARD NOTHING OF VISIT TO SWEDEN BUT
HE HEDGED THIS BY SAYING NILSSON OR BELFRAGE MIGHT.

2. IN ANSWER TO SPECULATION ABOUT DENMARK, SOURCE SAID THIS WAS
TYPE OF "HAEKKERUP INITIATIVE" SWEDES HAD GOT USED TO IN RECENT
MONTHS.

3. EMBASSY NOTES THAT CH'EN YI VISIT COULD BE SEEN AS A PLUS
FOR GOVERNMENT IN ELECTIONS THIS FALL. HOWEVER, WITH MOSYGIN
COMING IN JULY, GOS MAY BE WARY OF THE POLICY AND ADMINISTRATIVE
PROBLEMS INVOLVED IN HAVING THESE TWO HERE ON EACH OTHER'S HEELS.

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ON APRIL 12 MAKES FURTHER ATTACK ON NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC
FRONT (NDF) FOR FAILURE TAKE PART IN PREPARATIONS FOR
LIU RECEPTION. OBVIOUS ATTEMPT TO DISCREDIT NDF
LEADERS FOR THEIR LACK OF ENTHUSIASM.
2. TWO FORMER CHIEF MINISTERS SINGLED OUT FOR
CRITICISM. THOUGH NOT NAMED, NO QUESTION TWO ARE NURUL

AMIN, LEADER OF OPPOSITION IN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, AND
ATAUR RAHMAN KHAN, NDF LEADER. THEY ARE REFERRED TO AS
"COMMANDERS WITHOUT TROOPS" WHO NEVERTHELESS REGARD
THEMSELVES AS ONLY COMPETENT PERSONS MAKE CORRECT
JUDGMENTS. THESE FORMER CHIEF MINISTERS NOT READY TO
ACCEPT ROLE OF INDIA AS AGGRESSOR. ACCORDING TO
DAINIK PAKISTAN FACT THAT INDIA IN PERIOD FROM
JUNE-SEPTEMBER 1965 STATIONED EIGHT DIVISIONS IN
JAMMU AND KASHMIR TANTAMOUNT TO ATTACK ON PAKISTAN.
YET ONE FORMER CHIEF MINISTER INSISTS IT IS NECESSARY
TO KNOW MUCH MORE ABOUT SITUATION BEFORE HE CAN
DETERMINE WHO WAS AGGRESSOR. BOTH THESE FORMER
MINISTERS HAVE ENGAGED IN MUCH LOOSE TALK. DAINIK

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PAKISTAN REMINDS ITS READERS THAT CHIEF MINISTER IN 1956 (ATAUR RAHMAN) WAS ONE OF SPONSORS OF CIVIC RECEPTION FOR CHOU EN LAI. QUESTION IS WHY IS HE ACTING QUITE DIFFERENTLY NOW.

3. DAINIK PAKISTAN ALSO CRITICIZES SO-CALLED "PROGRESSIVE GROUP" IN NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY (NAP) WHICH HAS NOT FOLLOWED MAULANA BHASHANI IN ACCEPTING

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TASHKENT DECLARATION AND TRIES INTERPRET IT AS INSTRUMENT OF IMPERIALISTS. FROM CONGEN POINT OF VIEW THIS COULD MEAN ONLY THE PRO-PEKING GROUP OF NAP WHICH IS CURRENTLY MOST ACTIVELY PREPARING FOR LIU RECEPTION. PERHAPS THIS IS REMINDER TO NAP'S PRO-PEKING FACTION THAT WHILE BHASHANI'S ALL-OUT SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE ON FOREIGN POLICY, TASHKENT DECLARATION AND LIU RECEPTION ARE APPRECIATED THERE ARE MISGIVINGS ABOUT DOMESTIC IDEOLOGY AND ACTIVITIES OF SOME OF HIS SUPPORTERS.
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RE LIU VISIT TO EAST PAKISTAN

1. PARTIES UNKNOWN CONTINUED LAST NIGHT TO TEAR DOWN GOVT POSTERS URGING POPULAR WELCOME TO LIU. THIS MORNING ANOTHER SET OF POSTERS WITH SAME MESSAGE BY "MASS RECEPTION COMMITTEE" (HEADED BY CRYPTO-COMMIES) WERE POSTED OVER CITY.

2. LIU AND WIFE AND CHEN YI AND WIFE WILL ARRIVE 10 AM APRIL 15. WILL BE MET BY PRESIDENT, GOVERNOR, AND OTHERS AND DRIVEN DIRECTLY TO THE PRESIDENTIAL RESIDENCE. ROUTE ACCORDING TO EARLIER PLANS WAS TO BE IN-DIRECT, AROUND OPEN RACE COURSE AREA. CHANGE IS UNDOUBTEDLY DUE TO GOVT ESTIMATE THAT WELCOMING THROGS WILL NOT BE ADEQUATE TO COVER MUCH LONGER ROUTE OVER OPEN SPACES IN SUFFICIENTLY IMPRESSIVE FASHION. LATER IN DAY, THERE WILL BE CIVIC RECEPTION AND CULTURAL SHOW. APRIL 16 WILL BE MARKED BY AUTO CAVALCADE TO NARANGANJ AND RIVER CRUISE, WITH STATE BANQUET GOVERNMENT HOUSE THAT NIGHT. DEPARTURE ON MORNING APRIL 17.

3. "MASS RECEPTION COMMITTEE" HAS ANNOYED GOVT BY PUBLICLY CALLING FOR OFFICIAL PUBLIC HOLIDAY APRIL 15. THIS IS LAST THING GOVT WANTS, SINCE IT COUNTS ON PAID FACTORY WORKERS, GOVT EMPLOYEES AND SCHOOL CHILDREN TO PROVIDE BULK OF RECEPTION CROWDS. IF HOLIDAY DECLARED, MOST WOULD NOT BOTHER TO TURN UP FOR RECEPTION.

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A. PRO-SOV BRANCH OF COMMIE-FRONT EAST PAK STUDENTS
UNION HAS WITHDRAWN FROM "MASS RECEPTION COMMITTEE." PROBABLE
REASON IS PRO-CHICOM MAJORITY'S WILLINGNESS BRING PRAISE
OF AYUB AND BHUTTO INTO POPULAR WELCOME ACTIVITIES.
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1. CLANDESTINE DEFAACEMENT OF WELCOME POSTERS DIMINISHED,
POSSIBLE DUE POLICE VIGILANCE.
2. PARA TWO REFTTEL INCORRECT RE ROUTE RECEPTION PARADE.
INDIRECT ROUTE WILL BE USED.
3. AYUB WILL ARRIVE Dacca APRIL 14 AND RETURN PINDI
APRIL 18.

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4. UNPRECEDENTED GOVT-SPONSORED PREPARATIONS FOR VISIT
UNDER WAY. ITEM: LOCAL BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENT ON PARADE
ROUTE VISITED BY PRIVATE CONTRACTOR SENT BY GOVERNOR WITH
PLANS FOR BUILDING DECORATION AT COST TO BUSINESSMAN 27,000
RUPEES. BUSINESSMAN WILL PAY OR ELSE. ITEM: NON-POLITICAL
LOCAL WOMENS SOCIAL SERVICE ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP ORDERED
BY GOVT APPEAR EN MASSE DRESSED IN "CHINESE RED" SARIS FOR
CIVIC RECEPTION. ITEM: SCHOOL CHILDREN TAKEN OUT OF CLASS-
ROOMS TO PRACTICE "SPONTANEOUS" DANCING ON PARADE ROUTE.

5. PROVINCIAL CHIEF REACTIONARY JAMAAT E ISLAM PARTY
HAS PROTESTED SINGING AND DANCING AS PART OF CEREMONIES.

6. COMMIE-FRONTIN K LEADER BHASHANI MAY HOLD WELCOME

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MEETING IN DACCA STADIUM WITH CHICOMS, BUT THIS NOT YET PART OF OFFICIAL PROGRAM.

7. RELUCTANT ACCEPTANCE BHUTTO'S ALLEGATIONS RE CHICOM WARNING TO INDIA VIA US NOT TO ATTACK EAST PAKISTAN INCREASINGLY APPEARS TO BE IMPORTANT ELEMENT J GENERATING ENTHUSIASM. BRITISH PRIVATE RESIDENTS RECENTLY REMARKED TO AMERICAN THAT THIS WAS GREATEST SINGLE FACTOR DISPOSING THEIR BENGALI FRIENDS TOWARD ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME TO CHICOMS. WHEN

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AMERICAN IMPLIED BHUTTO STORY MIGHT NOT BE ACCURATE, BRITISH REMARKED QTE LOTS OF PEOPLE DIDN'T THINK IT WAS TRUE AT FIRST. BUT IF NEITHER INDIA, US, NOR CHICOMS HAVE DENIED IT, IT MUST BE TRUE QTE.

8. WHATEVER MAY HAVE BEEN SAID IN RECENT CHICOM VISIT WEST WING, THERE CAN BE NO DOUBT GOP GOING ALL THE WAY HERE TO ENSURE MOST IMPRESSIVE RECEPTION EVER SEEN IN DACCA. FURTHERMORE, GOVT WORKING HAND IN GLOVE WITH LOCAL COMMUNISTS TO THIS END, AND SHOWS NO RELUCTANCE STIR ANTI-US FEELINGS WHERE USEFUL TO MAXIMIZE FAVORABLE IMAGE CHICOMS.

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EMBASSY INFORMED BY RESPONSIBLE FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIAL THAT WHILE FINNISH GOVERNMENT IS AWARE OF RUMORS OF CH'EN YI VISIT TO EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, THERE ARE NO PLANS AT PRESENT FOR HIM TO VISIT FINLAND. HE EXPRESSED OPINION THAT RUMORS OF VISIT TO NORTHERN COUNTRIES MAY HAVE ORIGINATED FROM EARLIER TALKS OF CH'EN YI VISIT TO FRANCE. THOMPSON
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JACOBSEN, UNDERSECY FONOFF, SAYS NORWEGIAN FONOFF HAD NOT RPT
NOT HAD ANY INDICATION OF POSSIBLE VISIT FROM CHICOM FONMIN
AS INDICATED REFTTEL.
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LIU SHAO CHI VISIT

JACQUES NAVARD, NEW YORK TIMES, (PROTECT SOURCE), WHO COVERED CHICOM VISIT AFGHANISTAN, TOLD EMBOFF MP CONTACTED "SECRETARY GENERAL" IN AFGHAN FOREIGN OFFICE ON AFGHAN-CHINESE JOINT COMMUNIQUE PRIOR ITS ISSUANCE. SYG TOLD HIM CHICOMS PROPOSED CONDEMNATION OF US ROLE IN VIET NAM AND SENTENCE CALLING FOR WITHDRAWAL OF "IMPERIALIST, NEO-COLONIALIST AMERICAN AGGRESSORS." AFGHANS SAID NO, BUT THEY WILLING CALL FOR PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT. CHICOMS REJECTED AFGHAN SUGGESTION BUT DID NOT PRESS FOR THEIR OWN PROPOSAL.

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RGUB ANNOUNCED APRIL 9 THAT LIU SHAO-CHI, CHEN YI AND WIVES.
WILL "PAY A FRIENDLY VISIT TO BURMA" AT NE WIN'S INVITATION.
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1. "CITIZENS COMMITTEE" WAS FORMED YESTERDAY BY NAP HEAD MAULANA BHASHANI TO ACCORD WELCOME TO LIU ON FORTH COMING VISIT TO EAST WING. BHASHANI MADE PREDICTABLE SPEECH PRAISING CHINESE "WHO STOOD FIRMLY WITH US WHEN INDIA, IN COLLUSION WITH IMPERIALIST POWERS, LAUNCHED WAR OF AGGRESSION AGAINST US." HE SAID "AT TIME OUR SO CALLED FRIENDS WHO PROMISED THEY WOULD COME TO OUR ASSISTANCE AGAINST ANY EXTERNAL AGGRESSION HELPED AND ENCOURAGED INDIA IN ALL POSSIBLE WAYS."

2. "CITIZENS COMMITTEE" IS NINETY PERCENT COMBINATION OF COMMIE-FRONT NAP WORKERS AND GOVERNMENT STOOGES. MAJOR PRIZES ARE TWO PROMINENT CML LEADERS (ACTING AS INDIVIDUALS) AND QUDRAT-/-KHUDA, RESPECTED HEAD OF DACCA SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH LAB (WHO PROBABLY WAS FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FROM GOVERNMENT). TREASURER OF COMMITTEE, AS EXPECTED, IS M.A. C PAHANI.

3. NO PERSONS REMOTELY CONNECTED WITH TWO MAJOR OPPOSITION PARTIES, NDF AND AWAMI LEAGUE, PARTICIPATED, ALTHOUGH THERE WAS ATTEMPT ELECT FORMER CHIEF MINISTER, ATAUR RAHMAN KHAN AS VICE-PRESIDENT IN HIS ABSENCE. HE IS REPORTED TO HAVE DECLINED TO SERVE, BOWLING

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LIU VISIT.

1. DAINIK PAKISTAN (PRESS TRUST) HAS FEATURE

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ARTICLE TODAY BY ITS POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT BLASTING
NON-COMMUNIST OPPOSITION FOR ITS FAILURE COOPERATE IN
PLANNING RECEPTION FOR LIU SHAO-CHI AND BLAMING
"IMPERIALIST CIRCLE" FOR MEDDLING WITH INTERNAL
POLITICAL AFFAIRS.

2. "ENEMY OF COUNTRY - IMPERIALIST CIRCLE"
TAKING ADVANTAGE OF CURRENT POLITICAL SITUATION IN
EAST PAKISTAN BY ASSUMING IT HAS DIPLOMATIC RESPON-
SIBILITY TO MEET TWICE A WEEK IN DARKNESS OF NIGHT
WITH CERTAIN POLITICAL LEADERS WHO SEEK AND RECEIVE
FAVORS. THESE LEADERS HAVE REMAINED SILENT ON INTER-
NATIONAL ISSUES. THEIR MAIN OBJECTIVE IS POWER TO BE
ACHIEVED WITH HELP OF "IMPERIALIST LORD OR MASTER."

3. CORRESPONDENT CHARGES THAT IMPORTANT POLITICAL
LEADER OF ABOVE GROUP BEFORE OUTBREAK OF INDO-PAK WAR

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CIRCULATED A MESSAGE ADDRESSED TO SHASTRI. PRIOR TO THAT SECRET GROUP DISCUSSIONS WENT TO INDIA DURING NEHRU PERIOD. AFTER OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES LAST SEPTEMBER "WHEN INDIAN REACTIONARY CIRCLES ATTACKED PAKISTAN AT THE DIRECT PROVOCATION OF THE IMPERIALISTS," THESE SO-CALLED

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POLITICAL LEADERS REFUSED TO ISSUE ANY STATEMENT TO BOLSTER MORALE IN SPITE OF REQUESTS FROM RADIO, TELEVISION AND PRESS. THEY EXPECTED EAST PAKISTAN WOULD FALL INTO INDIAN HANDS AND SINCE THEY WERE HOPING GET POWER WHEN OPPORTUNE MOMENT CAME THEY DID NOT WANT TO OFFEND INDIAN EMBASSY.

4. UNFORTUNATELY FOR THEM, RED CHINA STOOD IN WAY. FORMIN BHUTTO TOLD NAT ASSEMBLY IN 1963 THAT PAKISTAN NO LONGER ALONE. PROOF OF THIS CAME LAST SEPTEMBER. CHINESE AMBASSADOR AT WARSAW INFORMED AMERICAN AMBASSADOR THAT NORTHEAST INDIA WOULD NO LONGER BE PART OF INDIA IF INDIA ATTACKED EAST PAKISTAN. AM AMBASSADOR TALKED WITH WASHINGTON AND RUSK ISSUED STATEMENT FOLLOWING DAY. THEREFORE INDIA HAD NO FURTHER COURAGE ATTACK EAST PAKISTAN.

5. AS RESULT POLITICAL LEADERS MENTIONED ABOVE FURIOUS WITH RED CHINA. BECAUSE OF THIS THEY NOW REFUSE TO PARTICIPATE IN PREPARATION FOR RECEPTION TO LIU SHAO-CHI IN HIS Dacca VISIT. IN FACT THEY HAVE EVEN DECIDED TO STAY AWAY FROM Dacca DURING THE VISIT.

6. ANOTHER POINT RAISED IN CONNECTION WITH PRIOR KNOWLEDGE OF ATTACK ON LAHORE. CORRESPONDENT STATED THAT

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MOST PROBABLY SOME "FRIENDLY" STATE KNEW ABOUT ATTACK ON LAHORE AHEAD OF TIME. HE CITED EXAMPLE OF OFFICER OF BATA COMPANY OF BATANAGAR (NEAR LAHORE) WHO WAS INFORMED BY AMERICAN EMBASSY AT LONDON ON SEPTEMBER 3 THAT LAHORE WAS BEING ATTACKED.

7. COMMENT: IN VIEW PAST RECORD AND KNOWN FACTS RE CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT DAINIK PAKISTAN, THIS DIATRIBE WILL BE CORRECTLY CONSIDERED BY SOPHISTICATED BENGALIS AS EQUIVALENT TO OFFICIAL HANDOUT BY GOP PROPAGANDA MINISTRY. IT REFLECTS GOP ANXIETY AS TO EXTENT ENTHUSIASM LIU RECEPTION NEXT WEEK, AND IS ATTEMPT FORCE AL AND NDF LEADERS PARTICIPATE AND TO DISCREDIT THEM. PRINCIPAL TARGET APPEARS TO BE AWAMI

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LEAGUE. IT REPRESENTS NEW GOP LOW IN ATTEMPTING USE US AS WHIPPING BOY FOR PURELY DOMESTIC OPPOSITION. GOP RELIANCE ON FALSE IMPLICATIONS OF BRUTTO NA SPEECH TO WHIP UP ENTHUSIASM FOR CHICGOS BECOMING MORE OBVIOUS. DESIRABILITY EARLY HIGH-LEVEL PUBLIC EFFORT SET RECORD STRAIGHT ON US ROLE IN ATTEMPTING LIMIT HOSTILITIES IN SEPTEMBER IS SHARPLY INCREASED.

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LIU VISIT TO EAST PAKISTAN

1. GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNISTS IN HIGH GEAR PREPARING FOR
LIU VISIT APRIL 15 TO 17, AND ARE APPARENTLY RUNNING SCARED.
FREE TRANSPORT ON SPECIAL

TRAINS TO DACCA BEING ARRANGED FROM
DISTRICT TOWNS ALL OVER PROVINCE, WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS DACCA
AND MMENSINGH DISTRICTS GIVEN LARGE QUOTAS OF "GREETERS" TO
SEND TO DACCA. LOCAL TRUCK AND BUS TRANSPORT BEING ARRANGED
TO BRING ORGANIZED GROUPS FROM SUBURBS (ESPECIALLY THOSE OF
NON-BENGALI MINORITIES) INTO DACCA. PUPILS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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HAVE BEEN URGED ATTEND IN FULL FORCE APRIL 15, SINCE THEY WILL
BE TAKEN TO AIRPORT OR ALONG LIU ROUTE TO CHEER AND EVEN TO
"DANCE IN STREETS." IN SOME SCHOOLS, THEY WERE TOLD THAT
THEIR PARENTS WOULD BE CALLED TO ACCOUNT IF THEY FAILED
ATTEND THAT DAY. GOVT FRENZIEDLY PAINTING ROCKS,
BUILDING ARCHES, ETC. THOUSANDS MULTI-COLORED POSTERS PUT
UP OVER CITY BY GOVT CREWS URGING POPULACE WELCOME LIU.
RUMORS AFLOAT THAT OFFICIAL PUBLIC HOLIDAY MAY BE DECLARED.

2. NON-COMMUNIST OPPOSITION CONTINUES REFUSE COOPER-
ATE. NDF PRESS REFERS TO PLANNED OVATION IN QUOTES.
FORMER CHIEF MINISTER ATAUR RAHMAN KHAN VEHEMENTLY DECLINED
HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH RECEPTION, AND STATED HIS NAME
USED WITHOUT PERMISSION. AWAMI LEAGUE CONTINUES SILENT.
MOST GOVT POSTERS NOT FIRMLY AFFIXED TO WALLS WERE RIPPED
AND TORN BY PARTIES UNKNOWN WITHIN FEW HOURS AFTER THEY
WERE PUT UP NIGHT OF APRIL 9. PRO-SOVIET COMMUNISTS WHO
HAVE INFILTRATED RECEPTION COMMITTEE HAVE RAISED TROUBLE
OVER SUCH ISSUES AS WHETHER OR NOT SLOGANS PRAISING AYUB

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SHOULD BE RAISED.

3. COMMUNISTS OVERTLY AND GOVT COVERTLY ARE SHOWING

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NO RELUCTANCE TO SEASON PREPARATIONS WITH ANTI-US FLAVOR.
PRESS TRUST BENGALI DAILY PROPERLY REGARDED AS GOP ORGAN
CONTINUES DAMN NON-COMMUNIST OPPOSITION AS "IMPERIALIST
STOOGES" FOR REFUSING COOPERATE IN RECEPTION, AND EXPANDS
AT LENGTH ON IMPLICATIONS BHUTTO NA SPEECH TO EFFECT
CHICOMS SAVED EAST WING IN SEPTEMBER BY WARNING INDIA VIA
US THAT ATTACK ON EAST WING WOULD BRING CHICOM ATTACK ON
INDIA. TYPICAL TIDBIT IS BIHARI-OWNED LARGE RETAIL STORE
USING PAPER BAGS WITH PICTURE PRESIDENT JOHNSON CAPTIONED
QTE FRIEND IN NEED QTE AND CHOU EN-LAI CAPTIONED QTE FRIEND
IN DEED QTE.

4. GOP IS COOPERATING CLOSELY WITH LOCAL COMMUNISTS
IN BIGGEST EFFORT IN HISTORY EAST WING TO STAGE IMPRESSIVE
WELCOME FOR FOREIGN VISITOR, AND IS NOT CONCERNED THAT SHIPS
CELL ON US. BULK OF BENGALI POPULATION INDIFFERENT OR HOSTILE
TO VISIT, BUT SINCE NON-COMMIE OPPOSITION NOT INCLINED RISK
HEAD-ON CLASH THIS ISSUE, GOP SHOULD COME UP WITH RESPECTABLE
THOUGH NOT OVERWHELMING WELCOME FOR LIU. UNIVERSITY HOSTELS
WILL NOT OPEN TILL AFTER LIU DEPARTURE; COMBINATION OF GOVT
TRANSPORT FOR DEMONSTRATORS, ENTHUSIASTIC COMMUNIST CADRES,

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DRAGOONED SCHOOLCHILDREN, IDLERS ATTRACTED TO COLORFUL
CEREMONIES, AND GENUINELY FERVENT BIHARIS SHOULD SUFFICE.
USG PUBLIC STATEMENT RE TRUTH OF US ROLE IN LIMITING HOSTIL-
ITIES HERE IN SEPTEMBER IF RELEASED IN NEXT TWO OR THREE
DAYS WOULD HEARTEN NON-COMMIE PASSIVE RESISTANCE TO DEMON-
STRATION.

5. OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS URGE POPULACE TO GATHER AT
AIRPORT AND ENROUTE TO CHEER LIU BUT "WITH DISCIPLINE."
ARRIVAL SCHEDULED 1000 HOURS; LIU WILL STAY AT AYUB'S
RESIDENCE. WILL GO TO NARAYANGANJ FOR BOAT RIDE ON 16TH.
BOAT RACES WILL BE HELD. EVENING CIVIC RECEPTION FOR
SEVERAL THOUSAND LOCAL NOTABLES WILL BE HELD GOVT HOUSE
RATHER THAN PUBLIC PARK AS USUAL FOR FOREIGN HEADS STATE.
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1. DAINIK PAKISTAN (PRO-GOVERNMENT PRESS TRUST)
POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT IN FEATURE ARTICLE APRIL 10
LASHES AT SO-CALLED PROGRESSIVES WHO ARE NOT WILLING
ACCORD RECEPTION TO LIU SHAO-CHI. PRINCIPAL TARGET
SEEMS TO BE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT (NDF) WHOSE
LEADERS HAVE REFUSED COOPERATE WITH PRO-CHICOM FACTION
OF NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY (CHNAP) IN CIVIC RECEPTION
ARRANGEMENTS.

2. MAIN OBJECTIVE IS TO DISCREDIT NDF LEADERS
BY CHARGING THAT THEY ARE TRYING TO SHIFT BLAME FOR
AGGRESSION AGAINST LAHORE LAST SEPTEMBER FROM INDIA
TO PAKISTAN. "THEY DO NOT HESITATE TERM PAKISTAN AS
AGGRESSOR INDIRECTLY." THEY CARRY ON SECRET PROPAGANDA
TO EFFECT THAT DEMAND FOR SELF-DETERMINATION FOR
JAMMU AND KASHMIR AS WELL AS STORIES OF ATROCITIES AGAINST MUSLIMS
ARE INSPIRED BY COMMUNAL-MINDED, REACTIONARY ELEMENTS.

3. THIS GROUP IS THEREFORE SHOCKED WHEN NEW
CHINA SUPPORTS RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION FOR
KASHMIRIS. A MEETING WAS HELD LAST WEDNESDAY TO
DETERMINE ATTITUDE TOWARD LIU VISIT. IN VIEW OF LIU'S
HOSTILE ATTITUDE TOWARD TASHKENT DECLARATION AND IN
VIEW OF DIRECT SUPPORT AND ENDORSEMENT HE SEEMS TO
HAVE GIVEN TO AYUB REGIME, GROUP DECIDED NOT PARTICIPATE
IN RECEPTION. LEADERS, HOWEVER, LACK COURAGE SPEAK

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A. COMMENT: IT IS TRUE THAT NDF LEADERS TOOK
LEAD IN EAST WING IN WELCOMING TASHKENT DECLARATION
AND IT IS NOT SURPRISING THEY SHOULD HAVE RESERVATIONS

ABOUT GREETING PRESIDENT OF ONE FOREIGN COUNTRY WHICH WOULD
LIKE TO SEE IT DESTROYED. DAINIK PAKISTAN GIVING
IMPRESSION TO NO LONGER OF ANY IMPORTANCE AND THAT THOSE
WHO SUPPORTED IT MOST ENTHUSIASTICALLY ARE NOW
UNPATRIOTIC.
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CIA CHICOM PRES LIU SHAO-CHI CONCLUDED FIVE-DAY STATE VISIT APRIL
NSA 8 DEPARTING EARLY MORNING PRESUMABLY FOR HOME. JOINT COMMUNIQUE
DOD RELEASED SAME EVENING. WHILE OFFICIAL ENGLISH TEXT NOT YET
NIC AVAILABLE DUE HOLIDAY, FOLLOWING MAIN POINTS BASED ON EMB TRANS-
AID LATION:
1. KING, QUEEN, GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN WELCOMED
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VISITORS WITH "UTMOST WARMTH" AND GRAND RECEPTION AS "SYMBOL
SINCERE FRIENDSHIP PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN FOR PEOPLE OF CHINA,"
FOR WHICH PRES LIU HEARTILY GRATEFUL.

2. SUBSTANTIVE TALKS TOOK PLACE IN "ATMOSPHERE FRIENDSHIP,
SINCERITY AND UNDERSTANDING:"

A. EXCHANGING VIEWS ON SUBJECTS MUTUAL INTEREST, BOTH SIDES
"DESCRIBED THEIR FOREIGN POLICIES AND POSITIONS ON SIGNIFICANT
WORLD PROBLEMS INCLUDING VIETNAM PROBLEM" AND "EXPRESSED
SATISFACTION WITH RESULTS TALKS" (ONLY REFERENCE CURRENT WORLD
AFFAIRS).

B. REFERRING TO "TRADITIONAL FRIENDLY RELATIONS," BOTH EXPRESSED
"FULL APPRECIATION" 1960 BILATERAL TREATY FRIENDSHIP AND NON-
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C. DECLARING " MUTUAL RESPECT, EQUITY AND NON-INTERFERENCE" TO BE "FIRM BASIS" FOR EXISTING FRIENDLY RELATIONS, BOTH "EXPRESSED SATISFACTION" OVER CONTINUING FRIENDLY RELATIONS AND COOPERATION; "AGREED" 1963 BORDER AGREEMENT AND SUBSEQUENT DEMARCATION, AND 1965 ECONOMIC-TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT CONSTITUTE "SIGNS

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OF FRIENDLY COOPERATION, UNDERSTANDING AND GOOD NEIGHBORLINESS"
BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES.

D. BOTH REAFFIRMED SUPPORT FOR FIVE PRINCIPLES PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND TEN PRINCIPLES BANDUNG WHICH CONTRIBUTED TO LIBERATION OF AFRO-ASIAN NATIONS AND DECLINE OF "COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM."

E. AFGHANS REAFFIRMED STAND ON CHINA'S SEAT IN UN: CPR ONLY REPRESENTATIVE OF CHINESE PEOPLE AND LEGAL RIGHTS IN UN MUST BE RESTORED. CHICOMS "EXPRESSED GRATITUDE" THIS STAND.

3. AGREEING EXCHANGE VISITS HELPED REINFORCE GOOD NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS, MUTUAL RESPECT AND WORLD PEACE, CHINESE (ON BEHALF PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI) INVITED PRIMIN MAIWANDWAL VISIT CHINA AT APPROPRIATE TIME, LATTER ACCEPTED.

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SUBJ: JOINT SINO-AFGHAN COMMUNIQUE

1. IT NOW APPARENT THAT CHICOMS UTILIZING LIU SHAO-CHI VISITS TO PAKISTAN AND AFGHANISTAN PRIMARILY AS PUBLIC RELATIONS EXERCISE DESIGNED COUNTER TARNISHED IMAGE OF REGIME WHICH CURRENTLY PREVAILS ABROAD. AS CASE WITH PAKS, COMMUNIQUE MARKING END OF LIU VISIT TO AFGHANISTAN IS NOTICEABLY BLAND AND CONSISTS LARGELY OF CHICOM EFFORT TO DEMONSTRATE REGIME'S ATTACHMENT TO FRIENDLY RELATIONS AND PEACE AS MANIFESTED IN ITS NOV 1963 BOUNDARY SETTLEMENT WITH AFGHANS AND ITS SUPPORT OF "FIVE PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE" AND "TEN PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG CONFERENCE". IN KEEPING WITH THIS PUBLIC APPEARANCE OF REASONABLENESS CHICOMS ALSO ACQUIESCED IN FORMULA WHICH MADE APPARENT THE EXISTENCE OF DIFFERING VIEWS "ON IMPORTANT WORLD ISSUES, INCLUDING THE VIETNAM PROBLEM", AND MOREOVER RESTRAINED ANY URGE TO INSERT A UNILATERAL EXPOSITION OF REGIME'S VIEWS ON THESE ISSUES. CHICOMS GOT FROM AFGHANS, AS THEY DID FROM PAKS, EXPRESSION OF SUPPORT FOR RESTORATION THEIR "LEGITIMATE RIGHTS IN UN" AND IN VIEW COMPLEXITIES OF CHIREP ISSUE, IT WOULD BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO LEARN AT WHOSE INITIATIVE THIS LANGUAGE INCLUDED.

2. COMMENT: WE SURMISE THAT AS RESULT LIU'S TRAVELS CHICOMS HAVE GAINED FIRST HAND AWARENESS THAT THERE ARE AT LEAST TWO NATIONS OF AFRO-ASIAN GROUP WHO DO NOT SEE EYE TO EYE WITH THEM ON VIETNAM AND NATURE OF U.S. WHILE WE DO NOT EXPECT THIS TO RESULT IN MAJOR CHANGES IN REGIME'S POLICIES ON THESE ISSUES, NEVERTHELESS LIU'S EXPERIENCE MAY HAVE SOME EDUCATIONAL VALUE AND LEAD REGIME ALONG MORE FLEXIBLE TACTICAL PATHS. INDEED, LANGUAGE OF PAK AND AFGHAN COMMUNIQUE SUGGESTS THAT PEKING IS ALREADY AWARE OF THE NEED FOR SUCH FLEXIBILITY AND ACTING UPON IT. WE CONTINUE TO DOUBT, HOWEVER, THAT BASIC CHICOM "REVOLUTIONARY" STANCE IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAS BEEN CHANGED; RATHER IT IS BEING BETTER CONCEALED.

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(1) Appreciate your analysis Liu Shao-Chi visit which corresponds closely our own reading. ~~the policy of the State Department is to avoid any direct contact with the Chinese government. However~~ we do not believe you should take initiative in seeking appointment now with Ayub.

(2) As result your representations to him March 24, Ayub knows how we feel about Chicom visit. If there is to be discussion of visit at this stage believe initiative should come from Ayub (and Bhutto) to convey to us their assessment of visit. (We expect this to come up at CENTO Ministerial talks.)

(3) When and if they do, we concur with response you propose take, with these exceptions: (a) we should avoid being defensive as to stance we took during Indo-Pak hostilities; (b) we prefer (point D) to leave implicit rather than explicit that there are limits to our capability tolerate Pak involvement with Chicoms; and (c) we question volunteering understanding for Ayub's military/security problems in wake of public display Chicom arms.

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(4) Whatever is said to Ayub at this point we believe should be designed give major emphasis to our sense of concern over impact that visit will have on spirit of accommodation between India and Pakistan. You should say that concern you expressed previously over Pak approach to Indo-Pak problems only heightened by militantly anti-Indian atmosphere of Liu visit. We frankly don't see how Paks see their own interests served by actions that permit Indians take posture that it is Pakistan and not India that is walking out on the ball game.

(5) When you do see Ayub we suggest you take up with him our problems with Bhutto's statement that defense East Pakistan was subject U.S.-Chicom talks at Warsaw. We recognize need to correct record as suggested Embtel 1848, but public U.S. statement risks public controversy with GOP just prior Liu Shao-Chi visit. Therefore suggest you follow up Williams approach to Shoaib (TOAID 7 from Rawalpindi) with frank request to Ayub that record be set straight.

(6) We concur idea encouraging others such as Iranians, Turks and UK express to Paks their own sense of concern as to current direction GOP policies and Embassies these addressees encouraged do so as opportunities arise.

(7) Background on Mrs. Gandhi's visit provided Deptel 1420/ FYI. We are also recommending to Karachi. considering Presidential letter covering this point. END FYI.

(8) We of course would wish encourage Indo-Pak discussions on limitations on defense spending but believe most effective means achieve our objective is by relating defense expenditure limitations to what we prepared do bilaterally on economic aid. We are actively considering this here now. We will discuss this with Shoaib and envisage ~~an approach to Ayub on this at later date.~~ GP-3. END

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ALLEGED RGA LINE WITH CHICOMS

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USUALLY WELL INFORMED LOCAL AMERICAN (NON-OFFICIAL COVERING LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT AS FREELANCE JOURNALIST) INFORMS US MFA DIRGEN POLAFFS AND CABINET SECRETARY FARHADI TOLD HIM EARLY THIS WEEK CABINET HAD HELD SPECIAL MEETING EVENING BEFORE CHICOMS ARRIVED TO CONSIDER RGA POSITION FOR TALKS. CABINET HAD DECIDED "GO SLOW" ON EXPECTED CHINESE PROPOSALS FOR UTILIZING \$28 MILLION LOAN, ESPECIALLY FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS, AND "RESIST" POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL AID OFFERS.

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ACCORDING SOURCE, FARHADI ASSERTED AFGHANS HAD CONSULTED

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PAKS RE CHICOM LINE TAKEN ON AID IN RECENT TALKS WITH THEM FOR INDICATION WHAT TO EXPECT HERE, AND HAD BEEN TOLD CHINESE SHOWED INTEREST IN ASSISTING RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND FLOOD CONTROL PROJECTS. (SOURCE SPECULATED CHINESE MIGHT

ALSO OFFER ASSIST AFGHANS AND PAKS WITH IRON ORE EXTRACTION AND STEEL-MILL--NOT WITH SERIOUS INTENTION FOLLOW THROUGH BUT RATHER TO CAUSE TROUBLE FOR SOVIETS WHO BELIEVED INTERESTED.

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SOURCE STATED FARHADI INDICATED APPRECIATION OF DANGERS IN BECOMING TOO INVOLVED WITH CHICOMS, ESPECIALLY IN PROJECTS REQUIRING TECHNICIANS ON THE GROUND, AND THOUGHT RGA COULD AVOID (WHICH SOURCE INCLINED DOUBT). THIS CONNECTION, FARHADI MENTIONED THAT "KING'S ADVISORS" HERE HAD REGRETTED KING'S ACCEPTANCE OF AID COMMITMENTS WITHOUT PROPER ADVICE DURING 1964 VISIT CHINA AND WERE DULY CAUTIOUS RE CHINESE INTENTIONS.

RGA ALSO INTENDED ADHERE TO TRADITIONAL NEUTRAL LINE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND AVOID CONTROVERSY, E.G. ON VIETNAM (SEE OURTEL 456).

FARHADI ADDED AUTHORITY HAD LAID ON IMPRESSIVE

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WELCOME FOR CHICOM LEADERS IN ORDER RECIPROCATATE LAVISH RECEPTION ACCORDED KING IN CHINA 1964.

COMMENTS: WHILE FOREGOING MAY HAVE BEEN INTENDED REASSURE WESTERN OBSERVERS RE CHICOM VISIT, IT CONFORMS WITH OUR ASSESSMENT OF PROBABLE AFGHAN ATTITUDE TOWARD CHINESE BLANDISHMENTS IN CONTEXT CURRENT VISIT--PREMATURE AND APPARENTLY UNWANTED BY AFGHANS. LATTER HAVE CLEARLY BEEN DRAGGING FEET IN IMPLEMENTING 1964 CHINESE AID OFFER (BUT ARE BELIEVED PREPARED UTILIZE SPECIFIED PORTION \$10 MILLION EQUIVALENT) OF CREDIT FOR IMPORTATION OF CONSUMER GOODS WHILE AVOIDING PROJECT ASSISTANCE. ON OTHER HAND, CHINESE COULD BE EXPECTED PRESS LETTER AND POSSIBLY OFFER INCREASE THE ANTE.

POSSIBLY INDICATIVE OF DIVERGENT ATTITUDE IS FACT THAT CHICOM TEAM INCLUDES SENIOR AID OFFICIAL (WANT TAO-HAN, IDENTIFIED AS VICE CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION FOR ECON RELATIONS WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES) WHILE AFGHANS REPRESENTED IN TALKS BY FINANCE MIN YAFTALI RATHER THAN PLANNING MIN ZIJYEE OR OTHERS MORE IMMEDIATELY CONCERNED WITH PROJECT AID. COMMUNIQUE MAY GIVE SOME CLUE OF OUTCOME THIS DILEMMA.

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FOR AFGHANS.

INTERESTING THAT ANOTHER NON-OFFICIAL AMERICAN SOURCE

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RELATED MAIN POINT OF ABOVE FARHADI LINE--"GO SLOW" ON
CHICOM AID AND AVOID CONTROVERSIAL FOREIGN AFFAIRS REFERENCE.
-- IN CONVERSATION WITH EMBOFF LAST NIGHT AS
TOLD HIM EARLIER THIS WEEK BY MUSA SHAFIQ, FORMER DDPY MIN
JUSTICE NOW SENIOR ADVISOR TO FOMIN. BLOOD
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USIA APPEARED BE PRESIDENTIAL MINUTE, AHMAD SAID:
NSC A. CHINESE DO NOT FORESEE EARLY SETTLEMENT VIETNAM;
INR B. CHINESE FEEL US WILL ESCALATE PERHAPS INTO CHINA;
CIA C. CHINESE HAVE NO INTENTION OF INTERVENING WITH TROOPS
NSA IN VIETNAM OR LAOS, BUT WILL CONTINUE GIVE MILITARY AID TO
DOD THESE AND OTHER WARS OF NATIONAL LIBERATION WHICH MUST BE SUPPORTED
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WRONG, AND LIU REPLIED, YOU MIGHT WELL BE RIGHT. AYUB
TOLD LIU AMERICAN OFFER FREE ELECTIONS SOUTH VIETNAM WITH
REAL DISCRETION TO ELECTED GOVERNMENT SEEMED GOOD PROPOSITION.
LIU DOUBTED SINCERITY AMERICAN OFFER AND SAID EXPERIENCE
OF US SABOTAGE GENEVA AGREEMENTS HAD WARNED CHINA NOT RPT
NOT TO TAKE AMERICAN PROPOSALS AT FACE VALUE. AYUB ADVISED

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GOALS EMBODIED IN UN CHARTER." NOTING VIETNAM CRISIS
DAILY BECOMING "MORE GRAVE" AND CAUSING "DEEP ANXIETY AMONG
PEACELOVING AFGHANS," KING DECLARED "CAREWORTHY ATTENTION
OUR GOVERNMENT HAS PAID TO FINDING SOLUTION THIS CRISIS IS
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IN REPLY, LIU CITED "MAGNIFICANT AND CORDIAL WELCOME" AS EXPRESSION "PROFOUND FRIENDSHIP" OF AFGHAN PEOPLE FOR CHINESE. REFERRING 2000 YEARS FRIENDLY CHINESE-AFGHAN TIES, LIU ASSERTED "BOTH OUR COUNTRIES WERE SUBJECTED IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION AND ARE FIRMLY OPPOSED TO EXPLOITATION AND OPPRESSION OF NATION BY NATION AND INEQUALITY BETWEEN NATIONS . . . OUR RELATIONSHIP ALWAYS FRIENDLY, EQUAL AND BASED ON MUTUAL BENEFIT . . . NO CONFLICT OF INTERESTS . . . WE HAVE DONE NOTHING HARM YOU NOR HAVE YOU DONE ANYTHING HARM US."

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CLAIMING ADHERENCE FIVE PRINCIPLES PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AS BASIS CHICOM FOREIGN RELATIONS, LIU DECLARED "WE STRESS EQUALITY ALL NATIONS BIG OR SMALL AND ARE RESOLUTELY OPPOSED TO BIG-POWER CHAUVINISM, DISCRIMINATING AGAINST, DESPISING, BULLYING OR OPPRESSING SMALL COUNTRIES. . . MONOPOLY BY FEW BIG POWERS ABSOLUTELY IMPERMISSIBLE . . . CHINESE PEOPLE HAVE ALWAYS BEEN CONCERNED FOR AND SUPPORTED ANTI-IMPERIALIST REVOLUTIONARY STRUGGLES OTHER AFRO-ASIA PEOPLES."

LIU CHARGED "VIETNAMESE PEOPLE FACED WITH FRENZIED ARMED AGGRESSION BY UNITED STATES AND RESISTING HEROICALLY. IMPERIALIST SUBVERSION AND SABOTAGE HAVE BROUGHT TEMPORARY SETBACKS TO CAUSE OF INDEPENDENCE AND PROGRESS SOME AFRO-ASIA COUNTRIES" BUT "NOT DOUBT AFRO-ASIAN PEOPLES' CAUSE OF SOLIDARITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM WILL EVENTUALLY TRIUMPH" DESPITE "TORTUOUS STRUGGLES."

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ZAHIR AND CHICOM PRESIDENT LIU AT PALACE RECEPTION EVENING

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EXPRESSING ADMIRATION OF AFGHANS FOR CHINESE NATION, KING CITED "IMPORTANT MANIFESTATIONS OF GROWING FRIENDSHIP . . . AND EXPANSION FRUITFUL TIES" BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES INCLUDING ROYAL VISIT CHINA 1964, COOPERATION IN AFRO-ASIAN AFFAIRS, TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND NON-AGGRESSION, BOUNDARY AGREEMENT AND DELIMITATION, CULTURAL EXCHANGES AND CONCLUSION OF ECONOMIC AGREEMENT.

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INTERNATIONALLY, KING EMPHASIZED AFGHANISTAN'S TRADITIONAL NEUTRALITY, NON-ALIGNMENT AND "IMPARTIAL" JUDGMENT FOREIGN AFFAIRS, ASSERTED "WE BELIEVE RESTORATION OF RIGHTS OF GREAT NATION CHINA IN UNITED NATIONS ON BASIS MEMBERSHIP OF PRC IN UN IS FUNDAMENTAL CONDITION FOR ATTAINMENT

GOALS EMBODIED IN UN CHARTER." NOTING VIETNAM CRISIS DAILY BECOMING "MORE GRAVE" AND CAUSING "DEEP ANXIETY AMONG PEACELOVING AFGHANS," KING DECLARED "CAREWORTHY ATTENTION OUR GOVERNMENT HAS PAID TO FINDING SOLUTION THIS CRISIS IS MANIFESTATION AFGHAN PEOPLE'S ANXIETY. UNDOUBTEDLY FINAL SOLUTION VIETNAM CRISIS WILL BE GREAT STEP IN DIRECTION ESTABLISHING AND STRENGTHENING WORLD PEACE."

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1. Danish Embassy has informed Department that Danish Government plans extend invitation to ChiCom FonMin Ch'en Yi to visit Denmark around same time as Ch'en Yi visit to Finland (of which Department had not previously heard). No dates available but trip possibly sometime during summer 1966. According one report, ChiComs requested invitation from Danish Ambassador in Peking several months ago.

2. Ch'en Yi may attempt combine these visits with trips to other Nordic countries or European capitals with which Peking maintains relations as part of major diplomatic tour. Without at present time indicating possible US reaction to such visits, action addressees should discretely attempt ascertain whether host governments aware of any visits planned by ChiCom FonMin to Western Europe and possible timing and purpose of these.

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1. DURING APRIL 7 MEETING WITH FONSEC AZIZ APGAD, I SAID HAD TAKEN CAREFUL NOTE CONTENTS AND OMISSIONS PAK-CHICOM COMMUNIQUE. AHMAD SAID A LOT NOT RPT NOT IN COMMUNIQUE WHICH CHINESE HAD DESIRED. UNDERSTANDABLY BOTH SIDES HAD OWN INTERESTS, HE SAID, BUT SOUGHT LIMIT COMMUNIQUE TO AREAS MUTUAL AGREEMENT. HE AGREED RECENT COMMUNIQUE PARALLELED THAT IN PEIPING MARCH 1965.

2. IN RESPONSE MY REFERENCE REPORTED CONTENTIOUS NOTE IN LIU REMARKS SECOND STATE DINNER MARCH 7 FONSEC SAID GOP EXPECTED ONLY CUSTOMARY TOAST AND HAD BEEN THOROUGHLY SURPRISED BY LIU'S WRITTEN, ALBEIT BRIEF, SPEECH. ACCORDINGLY, AYUB HAD RESPONDED OFF CUFF. AHMAD SAID PAK RECEPTION CHINESE VISITORS MOST VOCIFEROUS IN LAHORE WHICH "GOT OUT OF CONTROL FIRST DAY." HE ADDED THIS, HOWEVER, UNDERSTANDABLE GIVEN LAHORE'S FRONT-LINE POSITION LAST SEPTEMBER. I RESPONDED CHICOM MATERIEL HAD NOT RPT NOT PLAYED ROLE IN DEFENSE LAHORE, BUT AHMAD REPLIED CHINESE SUPPORT AND SYMPATHY HAD COUNTED GREAT DEAL AT THAT TIME.

3. FONSEC SAID LIU VISIT EAST PAK SCHEDULED FOR TWO NIGHTS WITH DEPARTURE THIRD DAY. HE MAINTAINED DIDN'T KNOW WHAT EAST PAK PUBLIC REACTION WOULD BE BUT AGREED NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY WOULD ATTEMPT BUILD BIG RECEPTION. HE NOTED, HOWEVER, VRAP LEADER MAULANA BHASHANI NOT PRO-CHICOM AS OPPOSED PRO SOV, BUT FAVORS INDEPENDENT FOREIGN POLICY FREE FROM WESTERN ALLIANCES AND HAS VERY EMOTIONAL ANTI-IMPERIALIST AND COLONIALIST BIASES. AHMAD SAID BHASHANI NOT COMMUNIST, VERY RELIGIOUS, SHREWD AND WIDELY READ, OLD BUT NOT SENILE, WITH FREQUENT RESORT POLITICAL ILLNESSES.

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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT TO EAST WING.

1. MAULANA BHASHANI, NAP CHIEF, HAS APPEARED TO CITIZENS OF DACCA GIVE ROUSING RECEPTION TO LIU SHAO-CHI DURING FORTHCOMING VISIT.

2. BHASHANI HAS CALLED MEETING APRIL 7 AT DACCA TO FORM RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

3. IN PRESS STATEMENT NAP CHIEF SAID VISIT "WILL BE GREAT OCCASION FOR US TO ACCORD OUR WARMEST RECEPTION TO THOSE GREAT LEADERS FROM A GREAT FRIENDLY COUNTRY WHOSE

PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT HAVE STOOD BY US IN HOUR OF TRIAL."

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A. SO FAR AS CAN NOW BE DETERMINED BHASHANI ONLY
OPPOSITION LEADER TO COME FORWARD TO VOLUNTEER SERVICES
FOR LIU RECEPTION. OTHER NON-COMMUNIST OPPOSITION LEADERS
HAVE THUS FAR MAINTAINED DISCREET SILENCE ON SUBJECT OF
VISIT.

5. ARRANGEMENTS FOR LIU RECEPTION THEREFORE APPEAR
BE LEFT SOLELY IN HANDS OF GOVERNMENT WITH WHATEVER
ASSISTANCE BHASHANI CAN GIVE.
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1. WE VENTURE WITH DUE DIFFIDENCE TO COMMENT ON EMBASSY
RAWALPINDI'S WELL REASONED APPRAISAL AND RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING
CIA PAK-CHICOM RELATIONS. AS THAT APPRAISAL MAKES CLEAR, TENOR OF PAK-
NSA CHICOM RELATIONSHIPS, AT LEAST OPTICALLY, CAN DO NONE OF US ANY GOOD
DOD ESPECIALLY SINCE INDIAN FACTOR IS INEXTRICABLY ENTWINED IN THE WHOLE
NIC FABRIC OF SUBCONTINENTAL RELATIONSHIPS AND US (AND SOVIET)
AID INTERESTS AND RELATIONSHIPS THEREWITH.

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2. UP TO THIS POINT, GOI SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN CONTENT TO LET FACTS

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AND CONTRASTS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES, INCLUDING WARM RECEPTION
ACCORDED CHICOM LEADERS IN PAKISTAN AT VERY TIME OF WARM RECEPTION
ACCORDED INDIA'S PRIMIN IN US. WE CANNOT RPT NOT HOWEVER,
EE SURE THAT FOLLOWING PRIMIN'S RETURN, SHE AND HER GOVT
WILL NOT BE UNDER CONSIDERABLE PRESSURE AND PERHAPS TEMPTATION TO
CAPITALIZE PUBLICLY ON THIS CONTRAST IN WHAT THEY CONCEIVE TO BE
INDIA'S INTEREST IN CEMENTING RELATIONSHIPS WITH US AND USSR,
IRRESPECTIVE OF COST IN STABILITY-OF-RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN
INDIAN AND PAKISTAN.

3. THIS RELEVANT TO EMBASSY PINDI'S FIVE RECOMMENDATIONS
REGARDING WHAT MIGHT BE SAID TO AYUB. THESE WOULD CERTAINLY MAKE
SENSE IN TRYING TO LIMIT THE SUBCONTINENTAL CONFRONTATION.

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RSR FORTHCOMING CHICOM VISIT TO EAST WING.

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1. CONGEN DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT ANY SUBSTANTIVE RESULTS
OTHER THAN THOSE REPORTED FROM WEST WING WILL OCCUR IN COURSE
CHICOM VISIT TO EAST WING IN MID APRIL.

2. BIG AND PRESENTLY UNANSWERABLE QUESTION IS NATURE POPULAR
RECEPTION CHICOMS WILL RECEIVE. REGIME IS ALREADY GOING ALL OUT WITH
LOUDSPEAKERS AND OTHER PREPARATIONS TO PUT ON UNPRECEDENTED.

PAGE TWO RUQVGM 120 C O N F I D E N T I A L
SHOW. BUT AS WE HAVE SEEN BEFORE, ORGANIZED RECEPTIONS WITHOUT
GENUINE POPULAR ENTHUSIASM CAN FALL FLAT HERE.

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3. CHICOM VISIT, IF PROPERLY HANDLED, IS POTENTIAL MAJOR WEAPON FOR USE AGAINST AUTONOMIST FORCES HERE. CLOSE TIES WITH CHICOMS ARE TRADEMARK OF AYUB REGIME; DISPLAY OF POPULAR ENTHUSIASM FOR THESE TIES, AS WELL AS FOR EXTREMIST AFRO-ASIAN LINE, "ANTI-IMPERIALIST", ETC. ARE ALL CREDITS FOR AYUB AND DEBITS FOR AUTONOMISTS, WHO TRY TO DOWNGRADE FOREIGN POLICY AND WANT RESTORATION NORMAL RELATIONS WITH INDIA.
4. AUTONOMIST LEADERS PROBABLY HAVE NOT DECIDED WHAT ATTITUDE IF ANY TO TAKE TOWARD CHICOM VISIT. ALL NEWSPAPER MAKES SARCASTIC REFERENCES TO CHINESE ROLE IN TIBET, BUT WE DOUBT AUTONOMISTS WILL WISH MAKE RECEPTION A TEST OF STRENGTH, AND THUS ENGAGE AYUB ON GROUND OF HIS OWN CHOOSING.
5. BHUTTO'S STRONG INTIMATION THAT CHICOMS SAVED EAST WING FROM INVASION IN SEPTEMBER WILL BE MAJOR FACTOR MAKING FOR ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION.
6. LARGE URDU-SPEAKING BIBARI MINORITY CAN IN ANY CASE BE COUNTED ON TO RESPOND WITH ENTHUSIASM WITHOUT STIMULATION FROM REGIME.
7. NAP WILL BE PUT ON SPOT AGAIN. IF THEY PARTICIPATE ENTHUSIASTICALLY IN RECEPTION, THEY WILL LOSE MORE GROUND WITH NON-COMMUNIST AUTONOMIST OPPOSITION. BUT THEY CANNOT LOSE CHANCE STIMULATE ANTI-US AND PRO-CHICOM SENTIMENT ON SUCH AUSPICIOUS OCCASION.
8. CONGEN NOTES WITH INTEREST THAT DACCA UNIVERSITY NOT SCHEDULED REOPEN UNTIL AFTER CHICOM VISIT. IF REGIME TRUSTED STUDENTS TO DISPLAY PROPER ENTHUSIASM, IT WOULD HAVE ADVANCED DATE.
9. IN WEST WING, BOTH GOVT AND OPPOSITION APPARENTLY WELCOMED POPULAR ENTHUSIASM, SINCE WEST WING OPPOSITION APPARENTLY MORE ANTI-INDIAN, ANTI-TASHKENT, KASHMIR JINGOIST, AND PERHAPS MORE ANTI-US THAN REGIME. BUT IN EAST WING, WITH EXCEPTION RELATIVELY WEAK NAP, OPPOSITION JUST WANTS TO BE LEFT ALONE BY INDIA, CARES NOTHING FOR KASHMIR, IS PRO-TASHKENT, IS INDIFFERENT TO CHICOMS, AND DECRIES GOP EMPHASIS ON FOREIGN POLICY IN GENERAL.
10. PROBABLY BEST WE CAN HOPE FOR IS COURTEOUS WELCOME FOR CHICOMS, WITHOUT HYSTERICAL ENTHUSIASM AND ANTI-US OVER-TONES EVIDENT IN WEST WING.
11. AYUB WILL PROBABLY DISPLAY HIMSELF PUBLICLY TO MAXIMUM IN COMPANY WITH CHICOMS IN ORDER TO SHARE IN CHEERS HE WOULD NOT OTHERWISE GET. BUT THIS CAN CUT TWO WAYS; MANY BENGALIS WHO WILLING CHEER POLITELY FOR CHICOMS MAY LOSE ENTHUSIASM IF THEY MUST CHEER AYUB AT SAME TIME. GP-3
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1. FOLLOWING COMMENTS ON CHICOM VISIT DRAFTED IN KARACHI
SIMULTANEOUSLY PINDI REFTTEL. THEY ARE IN HARMONY WITH REFTTEL
AND OFFER A USEFUL CONCURRING INTERPRETATION FROM A SLIGHTLY
DIFFERENT ANGLE. THEY ARE FORWARDED HERewith IN MY BELIEF
THAT THEY WILL CONTRIBUTE TO A SOMEWHAT MORE STEREOSCOPIC
VIEW OF THE EVENT:

BEGIN QUOTE

IN ABSENCE OF KNOWLEDGE ABOUT SUBSTANCE PAK-CHICOM TALKS,
IT MUST BE ASSUMED THAT CATALOGUE CHICOM PURPOSES WOULD READ

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AS FOLLOWS: (1) REGAIN DIPLOMATIC LUSTRE HOME AND ABROAD
FOLLOWING REVERSES FROM ALGERIA TO INDONESIA BY DEMONSTRATING
THAT PEKING STILL HAS FRIENDS AND RESPECT ON INTERNATIONAL
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SCENE; (2) COUNTER IMPRESSION WHICH EVEN PEKING APPARENTLY FEELS IS GAINING CURRENCY ABROAD THAT PEKING AGGRESSIVE AND UNYIELDING; (3) ASSURE THAT AT LEAST ONE SIGNIFICANT OPENING REMAINS IN ENCIRCLEMENT ALLEGEDLY BEING FORGED BY PEKING'S ADVERSARIES; (4) THROW SPANNER INTO NEWLY REALIGNED AND STILL TENTATIVE US-PAK RELATIONSHIP; (5) KEEP INDO-PAK POT BOILING, AND IN THAT SENSE COUNTER EFFECT OF TASHKENT.

OVERALL, BUT PARTICULARLY AS REGARDS US-PAK AND PAK-INDO RELATIONS TIMING OF VISIT SIGNIFICANT. MAY BE TRUE AS PRESIDENT AYUB HAS ASSERTED TO AMB THAT TIMING LONG SINCE LAID ON AND THAT FOR VARIOUS PLAUSIBLE REASONS VISIT COULD NOT BE POSTPONED. MOREOVER, OUR OWN SUSPICION GAINED FROM CIRCUMSTANCES OF ARRANGEMENTS IS THAT CHICOMS WERE PRESSING FOR VISIT IN TIME TAKE SALUTE AT NATIONAL DAY PARADE MARCH 23 WHERE THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN HONORED GUESTS, AND THAT PAKS OUT OF SENSITIVITY TO EFFECT ABROAD RESISTED. NEVERTHELESS, FACT THAT CHICOMS ABLE MANEUVER THEMSELVES INTO PAKISTAN AT TIME OF GANDHI VISIT TO US AND WHEN US PAK RELATIONS STILL TENTATIVE

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IS INDICATION OF CHICOM ABILITY EXPLOIT PAK TIE FOR OWN ENDS.

TWO CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH NOT STRICTLY RELATED TO VISIT BUT WHICH STRONGLY AFFECTED PUBLIC ATMOSPHERE SERVE FURTHER ILLUSTRATE CHICOM DETERMINATION MANEUVER GOP NOT ONLY RE AFFECTING RELATIONS WITH THIRD COUNTRIES SUCH AS US AND INDIA BUT ALSO BY APPEALING OVER HEAD OF GOP TO PUBLIC OPINION: THESE WERE MARCH 23 NATIONAL DAY PARADE IN WHICH CHICOM AMBOR PUBLICLY ACKNOWLEDGED FOR FIRST TIME AND CHINESE TRADE EXHIBIT, KARACHI, BOTH OF WHICH DID MUCH PREPARE ENTHUSIASTIC PUBLIC MOOD FOR VISIT ITSELF, AND POINT UP GOP PROBLEM HOW TO CONTROL PUBLIC OPINION ONCE IT HAS BEEN WHIPPED UP. IT IS IN CONTEXT OF GOP SENSITIVITY TO EFFECT OF PUBLIC ENTHUSIASM ON OPINION ABROAD AND ITS TENDENCY TO SNOWBALL AT HOME THAT WE INTERPRET BHUTTO INTERVIEW WESTERN CORRESPONDENTS MARCH 29.

WHAT PAKS GOT OUT OF VISIT WAS SENSE OF SECURITY STEMMING FROM CHICOM REFERENCES TO PAST AND PRESENT SUPPORT AGAINST AGGRESSION AND FOR PAK POSITION KASHMIR, OF IMPORTANCE TO GOP POLITICALLY AND EMOTIONALLY IN DOMESTIC CONTEXT. VISIT AND ITS PRELUDE ALSO PROBABLY INTENDED BY GOP AS SIGNAL TO INDIA AND US, AND THOUGH SUCH POSTURE FRAUGHT WITH RISKS IN TERMS US-PAK RELATIONS, GOP PROBABLY BELIEVED IT COULD PUT INDIA AND US ON NOTICE (LATTER SPECIFICALLY ON QUESTION ARMS AID) WITHOUT

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JEOPARDIZING FUTURE PROSPECTS.

WE REGARD COMMUNIQUE (AS WELL AS WHAT COULD BE REGARDED AS BHUTTO'S UNCHARACTERISTIC POSTURE IN MARCH 29 INTERVIEW) AS NOTABLE EXAMPLE OF GOP EFFORT WALK TIGHTROPE BETWEEN US AND CHICOMS, AND TO REDRESS IMPRESSIONS MADE BY APPEARANCE CHICOM ARMOR MARCH 23, ENTHUSIASTIC PUBLIC RECEPTION OF CHICOMS PARTICULARLY AT LAHORE AND UNFORTUNATE REFERENCE IN LIU'S MARCH 25 BANQUET SPEECH TO "US AGGRESSION IN VIETNAM", EVEN THOUGH THIS APPEARED BE COUNTERED BY AYUB'S MANFUL DEFENCE TASHKENT AGREEMENT ON SAME OCCASION. COMMUNIQUE REMARKABLE FOR ITS BLANDNESS FOR WHAT IT DID SAY (FOR EXAMPLE, IN CONTEXT AFRO-ASIAN RELATIONS) AND GENERALLY FOR ITS NON-CONTROVERSIAL CHARACTER AS FAR AS US VIEWPOINT CONCERNED. ONLY BONE PAKS THREW TO CHICOMS WAS REFERENCE TO "RESTORATION ITS LAWFUL RIGHTS IN UN" AND REJECTION "TWO CHINAS" CONCEPT.

ON WHOLE VISIT APPEARED AS IF IT INTENDED FROM PAK VIEWPOINT AS SIGNAL TO INDIA (WITH POSSIBLE BEEP TO US AS FAR AS ARMS PROCUREMENT CONCERNED) AND AS FURTHER EFFORT ON PART OF PAKS EXPLOIT CHICOM AMBITIONS IN SUBCONTINENT AS DETERRENT TO INDIA. WHILE THIS COULD BE DOUBLE-EDGED SWORD AS FAR AS PAK-US RELATIONS CONCERNED, TOTAL IMPRESSION OF RESTRAINT SEEMS TO PUT SIGNAL

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IN DEFENSIVE RATHER THAN AGGRESSIVE FRAMEWORK.

OUR OVERALL IMPRESSION IS THAT WHILE CHICOMS ELICITED GAINS AS FAR AS PAK SUPPORT IN INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMATIC ARENA GOES, PAKS HAVE SUCCESSFULLY HELD LINE IN ANTICIPATION OF WHAT US MAY DO. KASHMIR CONTINUES BE ISSUE AND HERE AS WELL AS TO SOME EXTENT IN GENERAL FIELD PAK-CHICOM RELATIONS. VISIT, BY GENERATING HIGH DEGREE PUBLIC ENTHUSIASM, HAS DEMONSTRATED POSSIBLE LOSS SOME MANEUVERABILITY ON PART OF AYUB. AT VERY LEAST, MANY CHICOM ASSURANCES OF SUPPORT ON KASHMIR WILL MAKE IT MORE DIFFICULT FOR AYUB TO IMPLEMENT TASHKENT WITHOUT CONCESSIONS OR APPARENT CONCESSIONS ON KASHMIR. IT HAS INCREASED AYUB'S DIFFICULTY TO FOLLOW PRO-WESTERN COURSE WITHOUT SOME POSITIVE SIGN FROM US. END QUOTE.

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EDITORIAL ON NEED FOR STRENGTHENING PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP.
JANATA WELCOMES LIU'S PROMISE STAND BY PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN
IN STRUGGLE FOR PRESERVE FREEDOM, SOVEREIGNTY AND INTEGRITY.
CHINA PROVED ITS SINCERITY IN DAYS OF PAKISTAN'S GRAVE
CRISIS. CHINA GAVE THIS SUPPORT IN CONTEXT GENERAL
STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND EXPANSIONISM. MUCH
DETAIL GIVEN AS TO REASONS WHY CHINA HAS SUCH UNIQUE
ROLE. JANATA HOPES THAT FRIENDSHIP WILL BE STRONGER
ON BASIS OF BROADER COOPERATION BETWEEN PEOPLES OF TWO
COUNTRIES.

2. AWAZ (PRO-AWAMI LEAGUE) IN MARCH 28 EDITORIAL TAKES
GOVERNMENT TO TASK FOR CONFUSION AND CONTRADICTIONS IN
FIELD OF FOREIGN POLICY. IF BHUTTO'S CLAIM THAT PAK
FOREIGN POLICY BASED ON NATIONAL INTEREST, WHY REMAIN
MEMBER SEATO AND CENTO SINCE THESE ALLIANCES OF NO USE

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DURING SEPTEMBER WAR? IF BHUTTO'S STATEMENT THAT INDIA DID NOT ATTACK EAST PAKISTAN BECAUSE OF FEAR OF CHINA IS TRUE IMPERATIVE PAKISTAN QUIT ANTI-CHINESE ALLIANCES.

PLAYING ONE BIG POWER AGAINST ANOTHER CAN LEAD TO TRAGEDY. CITED NEHRU'S EXPERIENCE TRYING PLAY BOTH SIDES. NOT POSSIBLE //MWGVH BY APT M CHINESE TANKS AND AT SAME TIME

//IRHTOOLWADDIN'S LAMP WITH AMERICAN MONEY. IF THIS IS BASIS OF POLICY, PAKISTAN SHOULD CHOOSE ONE CAMP OR OTHER. HOWEVER, AWAZ PROPOSES NEUTRAL FORIEGN POLICY WHICH WOULD KEEP PAKISTAN ALOOF FROM BEING INVOLVED IN CONFLICT AND COLD WAR OF BIG POWERS ON ASIAN SOIL. BOWLING UNQUOTE
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SUBJ: Liu Shao-ch'i Visit to Pakistan

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Liu Shao-ch'i's visit to Pakistan climaxed a year of intense activity in Sino-Pakistani relations, highlighted by Chinese support to Pakistan during September war and Chinese moves to capitalize on any strains in US-Pakistani ties. Psychologically visit served as triumphal tour for Liu--badly needed to boost China's morale--and as show of mutual reassurance. In addition, it provided opportunity for both to explore some problems and limitations of the relationship--especially those imposed by Pakistan's ties with US.

In giving full-scale reception to Liu, Ayub was no doubt reciprocating the extraordinary reception Chinese gave him in Peking last year; in addition, public esteem for China very high in Pakistan. Liu was regarded as representative of country which ~~we~~ has supported Pakistan most strongly in its hostility towards India, and was received enthusiastically. During visit both sides expressed anti-Indian sentiments that may still further embitter Indo-Pakistani relations.

Liu also delivered himself of anti-American statements, but these were played down by press and Ayub did not allow visit to become a vehicle for

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virulent anti-American propaganda. Although communique contained reassuring phrases for both sides, it was basically perfunctory and contained no direct criticism of US.

Despite warmth of Liu's reception, communique thus suggests that there was no widening of scope of relationship; indeed, there might have been less area of agreement than following Ayub's Peking journey in March 1965.

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FYI: If questioned you may state that timing of Liu visit to coincide with Gandhi visit of Mrs. ~~Chandra~~ to US was probably coincidental, at least as far as ~~TEXT~~ Pak side concerned. END FYI.

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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT.

1. AS CONGEN ASSESSES EDITORIAL REACTION EAST PAKISTAN PRESS TO LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT, MOST OBVIOUS CONCLUSION IS THAT PRESS TRUST DAINIK PAKISTAN GIVING THE MOST ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME TO CHINESE PRESIDENT AND STRONGEST EULOGIES FOR PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP.
2. GOVERNOR'S PAIGAM NOT FAR BEHIND BUT MORNING NEWS SOMEWHAT MORE RESTRAINED.
3. NAP'S PRO PEKING JANATA NATURALLY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT LIU VISIT BUT GIVES MORE ATTENTION TO UNIQUE ROLE OF CHINA IN BATTLE AGAINST OPPRESSION, COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM AND EXPLAINS CHINESE SUPPORT PAKISTAN IN THIS CONTEXT.
4. NAP'S PRO-SOVIET SANGBAD HAS NOT YET COMMENTED.
5. AMONG NON-COMMUNIST PAPERS QML LEANING AZAD SATISFIED THERE HAVE BEEN NO CHANGES IN CHINA'S ATTITUDE TOWARD PAKISTAN. AWAZ (PRO-AWAMI LEAGUE) CONTENT THAT PAK RELATIONS WITH CHINA FRIENDLY BUT UNHAPPY WITH PAK FOREIGN POLICY AS WHOLE.

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6. ON OTHER HAND ITTEFAQ (AWAMI LEAGUE) AND PAKISTAN OBSERVOR (NDF) HAVE CARRIED NO EDITORIALS ALTHOUGH THEY BOTH HAVE GIVEN VISIT FULL NEWS COVERAGE.

7. GRADATION OF SUPPORT FOR CHINA THUS DESCENDS FROM HIGH PRAISES

OF PRESS TRUST'S DAINIK PAKISTAN AND NAP'S JANATA TO NO COMMENT BY SANGBAD, ITTEFAQ AND PAK OBSERVOR. SANGBAD UNDERSTANDABLY NOT PLEASED WITH PLAY CHINESE GETTING. LATTER TWO MAY BE HOLDING BACK IN ORDER (1) SEE WHAT HAPPENS IN WEST PAKISTAN AND (2) HAVE FREER OPPORTUNITY SAY SOMETHING WHEN LIU VISITS EAST WING. BOWLING

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SUBJ: LIU-CHEN VISIT *POL 7 CHICOM*

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1. CHICOM PRES LIU AND DEPY PRIMIN-FONM IN CHEN
SCHEDULED ARRIVE HERE THIS MORNING ON FOUR-DAY "OFFICIAL"
VISIT AT INVITATION KING ZAHIR AMID INDICATIONS LACK OF
ENTHUSIASM ON PART OF RGA BUT INTENTION PUT UP GOOD FRONT.

2. WE CONSIDER SIGNIFICANT AS INDICATION OF COOL
AFGHAN OFFICIAL ATTITUDE FACT THAT SINCE FIRST BRIEF
ROUTINE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT BY PRESS AND RADIO MARCH 16

PAGE 2 RUQTKB 030 C O N F I D E N T I A L
OF CHICOM VISIT TO TAKE PLACE SOMETIME EARLY APRIL
(REFTEL AND EMBTEL 424 TO DEPARTMENT NOTAL), SUBJECT
HAD GONE ENTIRELY UNMENTIONED IN LOCAL PRESS AND RADIO
UNTIL EVE OF VISIT- EXCEPT FOR BRIEF NOTICE MARCH 218
REPORTING RETURN OF AMB SOHAI FROM PEKING "TO PARTICIPATE
IN WELCOMING CEREMONIES" FOR LIU VISIT EXPECTED "DURING
NEXT WEEK". USUAL LAUDATORY ADVANCE EDITORIAL COMMENT
IN GOVERNMENT CONTROLLED PRESS, NORMAL FOR ALL SUCH
VISITS HERE, ALSO CONSPICUOUSLY LACKING.

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3. LOCAL PRESS AND RADIO FINALLY BROKE SILENCE LAST NIGHT WITH PERFUNCTORY ANNOUNCEMENT LIU AND CHEN WOULD ARRIVE TODAY. REPORT CONFINED TO BIOGRAPHIC SKETCHES EXCEPT FOR STATEMENT "CHINESE PRESIDENT WILL EXCHANGE VIEWS ON MATTERS OF INTEREST TO TWO COUNTRIES INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS" WITH KING AND RGA.

4. ESPECIALLY NOTEWORTHY IS FACT THAT BOTH MARCH 16 AND APRIL 3 ANNOUNCEMENTS BILLED EVENT AS ONLY "OFFICIAL VISIT" RATHER THAN "STATE VISIT" TO WHICH LIU WOULD APPEAR ENTITLED.

5. MFA DIR GEN FARHADI TOLD ME YESTERDAY RGA

PAGE 3 RUQTKB 030 C O N F I D E N T I A L
PLANNED CONDUCT LIU AND PARTY ON ONE-DAY VISIT HERAT DURING STAY (NOT YET PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED). HERAT SELECTED DUE OVERNIGHT FACILITIES IN CASE UNFAVORABLE FLYING WEATHER. INDICATED SOME ANNOYANCE AT EXCESSIVE SIZE OF INTENDED CHICOM PARTY (UNDERSTOOD FIFTY OR MORE IN TWO PLANES), UNWIELDY FOR AFGHAN HANDLE. ADDED IMPRECISE ARRIVAL TIME CAUSING INCONVENIENCE TO RGA.

6. OTHER THAN FEW FLAGS AND SEVERAL CEREMONIEE ARCHES, LITTLE EVIDENCE OF WELCOME PREPARATIONS OR PUBLIC RESPONSE OBSERVED UNTIL THIS MORNING WHEN LARGE NUMBERS SCHOOL CHILDREN AND SECURITY FORCES ASSEMBLED IN RAIN ALONG ROUTE THROUGH CITY.

7. WILL REPORT ARRIVAL WITH ASSESSMENT LATER TODAY.

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BIG WELCOME FOR LIU AND CHEN

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REF: EMBTEL 453 TO DEPARTMENT REPEATED ALL ADDRESSEES

1. EXCEPTIONALLY LARGE NUMBERS TURNED OUT IN LIGHT BUT STEADY RAIN THIS MORNING TO WELCOME CHICOM OFFICIAL PARTY ALONG LENGTHY PROCESSION ROUTE FROM AIRPORT TO CHILSTOON PALACE. CROWD, SEVERAL DEEP IN PLACES, COMPRISING MOSTLY GOVERNMENT WORKERS FROM NEARBY OFFICES, SECONDARY AND COLLEGE STUDENTS, SECURITY FORCES, BUT INCLUDING MANY ORDINARY FOLK IN CENTER CITY, LINED STREETS SEVERAL MILES THROUGH KABUL TO AREA OF PARLIAMENT. STUDENT GROUPS WITH SCHOOL FLAGS STATIONED IN FIXED PLACES ALONG ROUTE, MANY FAR FROM THEIR INSTITUTIONS.

Excluded by 1015

PAGE 2 RUQTKB 033 C O N F I D E N T I A L
2. PAPER FLAGS WIDELY DISTRIBUTED, FLOWERS LIBERALLY STREWN ON CLOSED LEAD CAR CARRYING KING, LIU AND CHEN, DANCING AND COSTUMED GROUPS POSITIONED HERE AND THERE. LITTLE APPLAUSE OR CHEERING OBSERVED, SPIRITS PROBABLY DAMPENED BY RAIN, BUT CROWD HELD DUTIFULLY UNTIL ENTOURAGE PASSED DESPITE LONG, UNCOMFORTABLE WAIT.

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3. HEAVY SECURITY PRECAUTIONS TAKEN. AFGHAN AND FOREIGN OFFICES ALONG ROUTE WARNED KEEP PERSONNEL AWAY FROM WINDOWS, ON STREET IF THEY WISHED OBSERVE.

COMMENT: UNUSUALLY HEAVY TURNOUT OBVIOUSLY STAGED FOR MOST PART BY AUTHORITIES ON SHORT NOTICE, CAPITALIZING ON CONTROL OVER OFFICIALS AND STUDENTS AND NOT MAKING ANY SPECIAL APPEAL TO PUBLIC VIA RADIO OR PRESS. WHILE DEARTH OF ADVANCE PUBLICITY MAY BE ATTRIBUTABLE IN PART TO (1) INITIAL LUKEWARMNESS ON PART OF RGA TOWARD VISIT AT THIS TIME (REFTEL), (2) UNCERTAINTY OVER EXACT TIME OF ARRIVAL, (3) FOUR-DAY ID HOLIDAY MARCH 30-APRIL 2 WHEN NEWSPAPERS NOT PUBLISHED (THOUGH RADIO OPERATING) AND (4) DEFERENCE TO SENSITIVITIES OF SOVIETS AND OTHERS SUCH AS OURSELVES, FACT REMAINS CHICOM LEADERS ACCORDED LARGE, IF NOT PARTICULARLY ENTHUSIASTIC, RECEPTION REFLECTING CONSIDERABLE EFFORT TO IMPRESS CHICOMS.

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CHICOM VISIT

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CHICOMS DEPARTED LAHORE FOR KARACHI YESTERDAY MORNING
UPON COMPLETING WHAT TO THEM MUST HAVE BEEN A SUCCESSFUL
VISIT (SEE COMMENTS REFCONTEL).

2. CROWDS LINING ROUTE TO AIRPORT WERE SUBSTANTIAL THOUGH
FEWER THAN THOSE PRESENT WHEN DELEGATION ARRIVED, A
FACT BETTER EXPLAINED BY TIMING WHICH COINCIDED WITH WORKDAY
RATHER THAN LACK OF ENTHUSIASM. NOTABLY CROWDS AT AIRPORT
WERE MUCH BETTER CONTROLLED THAN ON MONDAY ARRIVAL WHEN
EXUBERENT MASSES MILLED ACROSS POLICE LINES TO ENGULF VISITORS
AND, WE ARE TOLD ALARMED GOVERNOR.

3. ROUNDUP EDITORIAL REACTION WILL BE SENT SEPARATELY.
IN SHORT ITEM TODAY KOHISTAN SAYS FOREIGNERS, ESPECIALLY
AMERICANS, "HAVE BEEN SURPRISED TO SEE SPIRIT AND ENTHUSIASM OF
LAHORE IN GENEROUS AND GLORIOUS WELCOME ACCORDED CHINESE".
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FONMIN BHUTTO INTERVIEW INTERESTING NOT ONLY FOR CONTENT WHICH
REMARKABLY TENDER OF US FEELINGS IN VIEW BHUTTO REPUTATION AS
PROTAGONIST CHICOM LINE AND FACT THAT REMARKS MADE WITH CHICOMS
STANDING IN WINGS. PLAYBACK IN PAK PRESS ALSO NOTEWORTHY.
CORRESPONDENTS WHO PRESENT AT INTERVIEW CAME AWAY WITH IMPRESSION
GAINED FROM SUDDEN CALLING OF INTERVIEW AND ITS GENERAL
ATMOSPHERE THAT INTERVIEW CALLED UPON INSTRUCTION FROM AYUB
WHO TAKEN ABACK AT WARMTH OF CHICOM RECEPTION LAHORE AND EXTENT
OF PREPARATIONS TO GET OUT CROWD ABOUT WHICH HE NOT PREVIOUSLY
FULLY AWARE. INTERVIEW MAY ALSO HAVE BEEN INTENDED AS SIGNAL
CHICOMS NOT RPT NOT PRESS ITS CASE TOO HARD IN DRAFTING OF
COMMUNIQUE STILL TO COME.
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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT.

1. AWAZ (CLOSE TO AWAMI LEAGUE) EDITORIAL MARCH 27
EXPRESSED SATISFACTION WITH DEVELOPMENT PAKISTAN FRIEND-
SHIP TOWARD COMMUNIST CHINA. THOUGHT IT NORMAL THAT
CHINESE ARMS CAME TO PAKISTAN IF AMERICAN AND RUSSIAN
ARMS GO TO INDIA. REGRET THAT BASIS PAK-CHINA FRIEND-
SHIP COULD NOT REST ON COOPERATION FOR MUTUAL DEVELOPMENT
RATHER THAN ON MUTUAL HOSTILITY TOWARD INDIA. NOTES
INDIA NOW FAITHFUL COLLEAGUE OF US TO CHECK EXPANSION
CHINESE INFLUENCE IN ASIA. STATES THAT PAK FOREIGN
POLICY GRADUALLY BECOMING INCOMPREHENSIBLE WHILE THAT
OF INDIA TAKING CLEAR SHAPE AND METHOD.

2. AZAD (INDEPENDENT LEANING TOWARD COUNCIL MUSLIM
LEAGUE) EDITORIAL MARCH 27 REFERS LIU STATEMENT
CHINA WILL STAND BY PAKISTAN IN HER STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM,
SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND WILL SUPPORT
SELF-DETERMINATION FOR KASHMIRI PEOPLE. MATTER OF GREAT

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SATISFACTION THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN CHINA'S ATTITUDE. LIU VISIT SYMBOL OF MUTUAL GOOD WILL. CLOSE COOPERATION IN FUTURE SHOULD BENEFIT BOTH COUNTRIES.

3. PAIGAM (GOVERNOR'S PAPER) EDITORIAL MARCH 29

STATES THAT REACTIONARY ELEMENTS HAVE TRIED KEEP PAKISTAN AND CHINA APART BY CREATING MISUNDERSTANDINGS. THESE INTRIGUES AND CONSPIRACIES HAVE FAILED. PAKISTANIS BELIEVE LIU'S STATEMENT THAT CHINESE PEOPLE WILL STAND BY PAKISTAN BECAUSE LAST SEPTEMBER WHEN "EXPANSIONIST INDIA SUPPORTED BY IMPERIALIST POWER" ATTACKED PAKISTAN CHINA / PROVED HERSELF TO BE A FRIEND IN NEED. LIKEWISE PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN WILL SUPPORT CHINA IN STRUGGLE FOR JUST CAUSE, IN STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM AND IN FIGHT FOR FREEDOM OF OPPRESSED HUMANITY.

4. PRESS TRUST DAINIK PAKISTAN HAS ANOTHER EDITORIAL TODAY. IDEOLOGICAL BASIS PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP BASED ON COMMON BELIEF IN FREEDOM FROM COLONIAL RULE AND RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION. CHINESE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN SUPPORTING STRUGGLE OF KASHMIRI PEOPLE ON SAME BASIS WHICH IT HAS BEEN SUPPORTING LIBERATION STRUGGLE OF PEOPLE IN VIET-NAM. CHINA SUPPORTED SELF-DETERMINATION FOR KASHMIRIS AS EARLY AS 1956 WHEN SINO-INDIAN RELATIONS CORDIAL. CHINA DID NOT DECLARE KASHMIR "INTEGRAL PART OF INDIA" LIKE LEADERS OTHER POWERFUL COUNTRIES DID FOR SAKE OF FRIENDSHIP WITH

INDIA. CHINA'S PROMISES OF HELP TO PAKISTAN TOOK PRACTICAL SHAPE DURING SEPTEMBER WAR. CHINA HAS HELPED PAKISTAN STRENGTHEN DEFENSE SYSTEM AGAINST ATTACK BY PROBABLE ENEMY. PAKISTAN HAS SUPPORTED ADMISSION OF CHINA TO UN IN SPITE OF STRONG PROTESTS OF HER WESTERN FRIENDS. PAKISTAN "HAS NOT LENT ANY SUPPORT TO US WAR EFFORTS" WHILE SEATO COUNTRIES LIKE PHILIPPINES AND THAILAND HAVE SENT TROOPS AGAINST FREEDOM FIGHTERS IN VIETNAM. MOST IMPORTANT POINT IS THAT PAKISTAN HAS NOT ADMITTED THAT CHINA IS PEACE-DISTURBING COUNTRY IN SE ASIA. MILITARY PLAN OF WESTERN POWERS IN SE ASIA ABOUT TO FACE DISASTER AS RESULT PAKISTAN'S REFUSAL TO COOPERATE. BOWLINGUNQUOTE MCCONAUGHY.
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FOLLOWING IS TEXT AS CARRIED IN PRESS OF TOAST MADE BY FONMIN BHUTTO AT DINNER HELD MARCH 30 IN KARACHI IN HONOUR CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED):

" IT IS MY PRIVILEGE AND PLEASURE TO PROPOSE TOAST TO HIS EXCELLENCY CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI, AND MME. LIU SHAO-CHI AND ALSO TO VICE-PREMIER CHEN YI AND MADAME CHEN YI THIS EVENING.

" TOMORROW, CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI AND MADAME LIU SHAO-CHI WILL DEPART FROM PAKISTAN AFTER CONCLUSION OF FIRST PART

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OF THEIR VISIT TO OUR COUNTRY. IN MIDDLE OF NEXT MONTH, THEY WILL RETURN TO VISIT EAST PAKISTAN.

" THE FIVE DAYS THE CHIEF OF STATE OF PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA AND HIS GRACIOUS LADY HAVE SPENT WITH US HAVE LEFT UNFORGETTABLE IMPRESSION ON HEARTS AND MINDS OF PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN.

" IN RAWALPINDI, LAHORE AND KARACHI, OUR PEOPLE HAVE EXPRESSED TO CHAIRMAN AND THROUGH HIM TO GREAT PEOPLE OF CHINA, OUR SALUTATIONS AND FEELINGS OF GRATITUDE FOR THEIR SUPPORT TO PAKISTAN IN SEPTEMBER WAR WHEN WE WERE SUBJECTED TO AGGRESSION BY ARMED ATTACK. THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF CHINA ALSO DECLARED THEIR UNSWERVING SUPPORT FOR RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION OF THE PEOPLE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR.

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"DURING COURSE OF PRESENT VISIT, THEY HAVE REITERATED
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TO OPPOSE AGGRESSION, TO SUPPORT VICTIMS OF AGGRESSION AND TO
STAND UNSWERVINGLY FOR RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLE
OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR.

" LET ME, CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI, AND VICE-PREMIER CHEN YI,
VOICE THIS EVENING PROFOUND GRATITUDE OF PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN

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FOR YOUR JUST AND PRINCIPLED STAND.

"LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, LET US NOW RISE AND DRINK TO:

"THE HEALTH AND LONG LIFE OF CHAIRMAN MAO TSE-TUNG, TO
HEALTH AND LONG LIFE OF HIS EXCELLENCY LIU SHAO-CHI AND MME.
LIU SHAO-CHI;

"TO HEALTH AND LONG LIFE OF VICE-PREMIER CHEN YI AND MME.
CHEN YI;

"TO HEALTH OF ALL OUR DISTINGUISHED VISITORS FROM CHINA;

" TO GREAT PEOPLE OF PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA;

" TO SOLIDARITY OF NATIONS OF ASIA AND AFRICA; AND
TO WORLD PEACE."
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1. KARACHI PRESS MAR 31 HEADLINED CHEN YI PROMISE CHINA WOULD AID PAKS IF AGGRESSOR ATTACKED. REPLYING TO TOAST AT MAR 30 DINNER HOSTED BY BHUTTO, CHEN YI SAID WORLD SITUATION "COMPLICATED" AND IF AGGRESSOR ATTACKED EITHER CHINA OR PAK HE WOULD DO SO AT OWN RISK. DECISION TO ATTACK WOULD BE MADE BY AGGRESSOR HIMSELF, "NOT BY US." HE PAID TRIBUTE TO AYUB AND BHUTTO PURSUING INDEPENDENT FOREIGN POLICY WHICH HAD ALLOWED REMARKABLE DEVELOPMENT SINO-PAK RELATIONS. EXPRESSED HOPE

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RELATIONS WOULD BE FURTHER CONSOLIDATED AND PEOPLE OF TWO COUNTRIES WOULD GIVE EACH OTHER STILL GREATER SYMPATHY AND FIRM SUPPORT IN STRUGGLE AGAINST AGGRESSION.

2. IN BHUTTO'S TOAST, FOMIN SAID PAKS WOULD NEVER ABANDON JUST CAUSE OF KASHMIRIS. THOUGH PAKS SMALL IN SIZE AND RESOURCES, JUSTICE WILL PREVAIL IRRESPECTIVE OF SIZE OF FORCES AGAINST THEM. SPIRIT OF PAKS UNDEFEATABLE. INDIA HAD GIVEN BIRTH TO A SON WHO COULD AGGRESS AGAINST PAKS. DEPARTING

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FROM PREPARED TEXT, BHUTTO RECALLED STATEMENT HE MADE IN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY THREE YEARS AGO THAT FRIENDSHIP WITH CHINA IMPERISHABLE AND NOT TO BE BATTERED AWAY. IT ROOTED IN HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY AND PEOPLE'S DESIRE FOR PEACE. WITH PASSAGE EVERY MOMENT WILL OF PAK PEOPLE FOR CLOSER RELATIONS WITH PEKING VERIFIED. NUMEROUS SINO-PAK AGREEMENTS FURTHER CEMENTED FRIENDSHIP. EXPRESSING PROFOUND GRATITUDE FOR CHINESE SUPPORT DURING WAR, HE SAID PEOPLE KARACHI, PINDI AND LAHORE HAD SHOWN OWN FEELINGS OF GRATITUDE FOR SUPPORT.

3. AT MAR 30 CIVIC RECEPTION CHEN YI, REPLYING ON BEHALF LIU, TO INNOCUOUS WELCOME ADDRESS, REITERATED THEME THAT CHICOMS WOULD REMAIN TRUE FRIENDS OF PAKS, THANKED PAKS FOR INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT, PRAISED WELCOME PARTY HAD RECEIVED THROUGHOUT VISIT AND HOPED FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT SINO-PAK TRADE. (FULL TEXT BY SEPTEL).

4. PRESS DESCRIBED LIU WELCOME AS LARGEST MOST ENTHUSIASTIC IN KARACHI'S HISTORY. EMPHASIZING SIZE OF CROWD AND WARMTH OF RECEPTION. ANTI-AMERICAN BANNERS CARRIED BY NAP STUDENTS REPORTED, USUALLY ON INSIDE PAGES. PICTURE COVERAGE OF VISIT EXTENSIVE. JANG EDITORIAL EXPRESSED GRATITUDE FOR LIU'S PROMISE OF SUPPORT FOR PAKS. DAWN HAILED UNBREAKABLE PAK-CHINESE BOND IN LONG EDITORIAL HAILING VISIT. LOOKING FORWARD TO LIU'S EAST PAK VISIT, DAWN SAID BENGALIS HAD SPECIAL REASON TO REJOICE IN AYUB'S GAINING CHINESE FRIENDSHIP SINCE IT NO LONGER SECRET THAT CHICOMS DETERRED INDIAN ATTACK ON EAST WING. DAWN CONTRASTED CHINA'S GENEROSITY, WHICH ENABLED PAKS REPLENISH MILITARY HARDWARE, WITH STOPPAGE AID BY "ALLIES" WHO ALLEGEDLY USED WORLD-WIDE INFLUENCE TO PREVENT SALE OF ARMS TO PAKS. INDIAN EFFORT TO BLACKMAIL US WITH CHICOM BOGEY WOULD FAIL, SINCE AYUB AND BHUTTO HAVE EXPLAINED AIMS OF PAK FOREIGN POLICY. DAWN USED BHUTTO'S INTERVIEW WITH FOREIGN NEWSMEN (SEE EMBTEL 1826) TO ARGUE THERE NO CAUSE FOR US ALARM OR ACCEPTANCE INDIAN CHARGE OF PAK-CHICOM COLLUSION. CONCLUDED THAT OTHERS NOW SKEPTICAL WILL SOON FOLLOW AYUB'S POLICY OF COOPERATING WITH CHINA IN INTEREST PEACE. ANJAM ALSO ENDORSED BHUTTO'S "EXPLANATION" OF RECEIPT CHICOM ARMS.

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5. LIU AND PARTY LEFT KARACHI AT 0700 AM MAR 31. EARLY TIME OF DEPARTURE AND FACT IT NOT PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED TO PUBLIC GAVE IT AIR OF SECRECY. EVEN THOSE INVITED SEE HIM OFF NOT TOLD TIME ON INVITATION.

6. CIVIC RECEPTION MAR 30, IN CONTRAST CROWD REACTION ON STREETS, NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC. EVEN WHEN CHEN YI ENDED SPEECH WITH "LONG LIVE PAK-CHINESE FRIENDSHIP", APPLAUSE PERFUNCTORY. ALTHOUGH ATTENDANCE WAS LARGE, MANY TABLES PREPARED FOR GUESTS WERE NOT OCCUPIED, SUGGESTING FAILURE MANY INVITEES TO ATTEND. MCCONAUGHY

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SUBJ: CHICOM-PAK COMMUNIQUE

1. APART FROM DEMONSTRATING THAT PEKING CAN CLAIM AT LEAST ONE FOREIGN FRIEND, CHICOM-PAK MARCH 31 JOINT COMMUNIQUE DOES NOT IMPRESS US AS GIVING PEKING MUCH TO CHEER ABOUT. COMMUNIQUE'S DESCRIPTION OF TALKS BETWEEN LIU AND AYUB AS INVOLVING A "FRANK AND FRIENDLY EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION" SEEMS TO BE INDICATIVE OF PRESENT FOREIGN POLICY DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO SIDES. FURTHER, COMMUNIQUE'S TOTAL FAILURE TO MENTION SUCH CHERISHED REGIME ISSUES AS VIETNAM, "U.S. IMPERIALISM", ANTI-COLONIALISM, ETC., EVEN IN CONTEXT OF UNILATERAL DECLARATION BY

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CHICOM SIDE, SUGGESTS THAT PEKING HAD TO GIVE WAY TO CONSIDERABLE EXTENT BEFORE PAKS IN INTEREST OF ASSURING THAT LIU VISIT RESULTED IN SUFFICIENT OUTWARD SIGNS OF SUCCESS. AS WE SEE IT, ONLY THINGS REGIME GOT FROM PAKS OUTSIDE USUAL GENERALITIES ABOUT SOLIDIFYING FRIENDSHIP WERE EXPRESSION OF "DEEP GRATITUDE" FOR PEKING'S ROLE IN PAK-INDIAN DISPUTE AND A PAK RESTATEMENT OF "FIRM BELIEF THAT CPR SHOULD BE RESTORED ITS LAWFUL RIGHTS IN UN AND THAT ANY SCHEME TO CREATE 'TWO CHINAS' BOUND TO FAIL." (ON LATTER SCORE, IT MIGHT BE SIGNIFICANT TO KNOW WHETHER IMPETUS CAME FROM PAKS OR FROM CHICOMS, WHOSE ATTITUDE TOWARD UN HAS BEEN RATHER AMBIVALENT SINCE LAST GENERAL ASSEMBLY VOTE.)

2. IN LIGHT OF KNOWN CHICOM BITTERNESS TOWARD U.S. OVER VIETNAM, ALLEGED U.S. "ENCIRCLEMENT" OF CHINA, ETC., AS

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RSR CHICOM VISIT AT MIDPOINT

1. OUR APPRAISAL IS FIRST ACT IN TWO PART DRAMA OF CURRENT CHICOM VISIT TO WEST AND EAST PAKISTAN HAS RESULTED IN IMPORTANT PSYCHOLOGICAL SUCCESS FOR CHICOMS IN PAK, FURTHER COMPLICATION INDO-PAK AND US-PAK RELATIONS, AND APPARENT DEARTH PAK POLITICAL CONCESSIONS TO CHICOMS.

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2. REMARKABLY BLAND MARCH 31 COMMUNIQUE KARACHI 838 DEPT) SIMILAR TO THAT TR AYUE CHINA VISIT MARCH 1965 WITH HOWEVER NUMEROUS OMISSIONS OF ITEMS PRESUMABLY OF CONTINUING INTEREST TO CHICOMS. MAJOR DIFFERENCE IN CURRENT DOCUMENT IS FIRM CHICOM SUPPORT TO REITERATED GOP TRADITIONAL POSITION ON KASHMIR AND RESISTANCE AGAINST (INDIAN) AGGRESSION. THIS, WHILE NOT NEW, IS CERTAINLY UNHELPFUL

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AT THIS TIME AND IN THIS FORM TO MAINTENANCE TASHKENT SPIRIT, HOWEVER, WE DO NOT RPT NOT BELIEVE GOP, AS OPPOSED CPR, INTENDS THEREBY TO TORPEDO TASHKENT. AYUB IN NO RPT NO POSITION REBUFF AFFIRMATION CHICOM SUPPORT KASHMIR AND MAY HOPE SUCH AFFIRMATION WILL INDUCE US AND USSR, IF NOT INDIA, TO REDIRECT ATTENTION TO WHAT GOP CONSIDERS CORE OF INDO-PAK DIFFICULTIES AND CENTRAL MEANING TASHKENT.

3. WE BELIEVE GOP EXPECTS COMMUNIQUE WILL BE ACCEPTABLE TO US. MOREOVER, GOP PROBABLY WILL ANTICIPATE SOME US GRATIFICATION AT NOTABLE OMISSION ANY MENTION OR INDIRECT REFERENCE VIETNAM,

AND AT PRDF AYUB'S PRIVATE, REPORTEDLY ALL OUT ALBEIT UNSUCCESSFUL EFFORTS PERSUADE CHICOMS OF NECESSITY UNCONDITIONAL NEGOTIATIONS VIETNAM AS WELL AS TO DESIRABILITY SINO-AMERICAN CULTURAL-PRESS EXCHANGES (RAWALPINDI 488 DEPTEL). (AYUB WILL BE STRENGTHENED

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IN THIS EXPECTATION BY SPECIFIC US PRE-VISIT REPRESENTATIONS.) WE ANTICIPATE GOP WILL DISMISS REMAINDER OF COMMUNIQUE AS CUSTOMARY HIGH-FLOWN HISTORIC OF MUTUAL FRIENDSHIP AND ROUTINE REITERATION TRADITIONAL VIEWS ON CHICOM ADMISSION TO UN AND TWO CHINA POLICY. GOP MAY ALSO CLAIM SOME CREDIT FOR ESCHEWING ANY ALLUSION IN COMMUNIQUE TO CRUSHING AFRO-ASIAN SPIRIT, CHICOM ECONOMIC OR MILITARY AID, IMPERIALISM OR COLONIALISM. COMMUNIQUE APPEARS REFLECT PREDOMINANTLY PAK DRAFTING WITH CHICOMS, WHO PROBABLY SOUGHT MORE VIGOROUS LANGUAGE, RECONCILED TO RESULT WITH FATEFUL EYE ON LONGER RUN. ACCORDING FINANCE MIN SHOAB, AYUB DETERMINED NOT RPT NOT ALLOW CHICOMS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF SITUATION, ALTHOUGH AYUB ADMITTED TO ANOTHER SOURCE (RAWALPINDI 488 DEPT) CHICOMS HAD DONE JUST THAT IN PUBLIC EXPRESSIONS. SHOAB WAS EXUBERANT TO AMB APRIL 1 AT WHAT HE JUDGED WAS GREAT AYUB SUCCESS IN HOLDING LINE WITH CHICOMS. ISSUANCE OF COMMUNIQUE WAS POSTPONED FROM MARCH 28 TO 31 AND NOT RELEASED UNTIL SOME HOURS AFTER DEPARTURE CHICOM PARTY. ACCORDING FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT, FINAL DRAFTING TOOK ALL LAST NIGHT.

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5. WE DO NOT RPT NOT BELIEVE JOINT COMMUNIQUE OR VISIT ITSELF THUS FAR REFLECTS ANY SPECIFIC GOP POLITICAL CONCESSIONS TO

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CHICOMS. BRUTTO, REPORTEDLY UNDER STRICT INSTRUCTIONS FROM AYUB, TOOK PAINS TO STRESS HIGHLY MARCH 29 THAT PAK, WHILE FRIEND CHICOMS, IS ALLY UY (KARACHI 1826 AND 1837 DEPT), AYUB IN APRIL

1 SPEECH REITERATED PAK-CHICOM RELATIONS NOT PREJUDICIAL ANY OTHER COUNTRY, AND GOP DESIRES INCREASE AND CONSOLIDATE RELATIONS WITH OTHER STATES (SEPTEMBER.)

6. PRESS REPORTS INDICATE AYUB MAR 27 RESPONSE TO LIU SHAO-CHI EMPHASIZED PAK DESIRE FOR FRIENDLY BILATERAL RELATIONS NOT RPT NOT JEOPARDIZING OTHER PAK INTERESTS. TEXT STILL NOT AVAILABLE, BUT SHOAB TOLD AND THAT AYUB WAS VEXED AT LIU SHAO-CHI FOR DRAGGING IN US AND VIETNAM AND HAD STATED THERE NO RPT NO SECRET PAK-CHICOM AGREEMENTS AND INDEED NO RPT NO SECRET BILATERAL CONVERSATIONS. ALSO, THERE INDICATIONS CHICOMS MAY HAVE FELT REBUFFED IN SOME MEASURE. SHOAB MAINTAINED CHICOMS WERE DISAPPOINTED, AND LIU SHAO-CHI APPEARS HAVE MADE NO RPT NO MAJOR STATEMENTS DURING LAST THREE DAYS OF VISIT. CHEN YI, FREQUENTLY SPEAKING ON LIU'S BEHALF, OCCASIONALLY STRUCK HARD NOTE, BUT GENERALLY EMPHASIZED RELATIVELY MUNDANE SUBJECTS IN EVIDENT TONING-DOWN FROM LIU'S INITIAL SPEECH MARCH 26, WHICH NOTABLY HARSHER THAN ANYTHING RELEASED PUBLICLY BY CHICOMS DURING LAST THREE DAYS OF VISIT.

7. DESPITE ABOVE ENCOURAGING SIGNS OF PROBABLE GOP RESISTANCE, TO CHICOMS AT GOVERNMENTAL LEVEL, IMPLICATIONS OF VISIT FOR FREE WORLD AND PAK REMAIN PROFOUND AND INSIDIOUS. WIDESPREAD AND GENUINELY ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION ACCORDED CHAIRMAN LIU SHO-CHI ET AL UNDER GOVERNMENTAL SPONSOR DEMONSTRATED AND CONTRIBUTED TO BREADTH AND DEPTH OF PRO-CYCOM CONDITIONING OF PAK POPULACE, HANDED CHICOMS MUCH NEEDED INTERNATIONAL PSYCHOLOGICAL SUCCESS AND THREATENED THROW MONKEY WRENCH INTO ALREADY FRAGILE MACHINERY OF INDO-PAK CONCILIATIONS. MOREOVER, EFFECTIVE OUTPOURING PRO-CHICOM SENTIMENTS IN SPEECHES, MASS RECEPTIONS, AND INFO MEDIA IMPLICITLY AND OCCASIONALLY EXPLICITLY CARRIED ANTI-AMERICAN FLAVOR.

8. WHILE CHICOMS CAN HARDLY TAKE SATISFACTION FROM AMBIVALENT ATTITUDES GOP "SUPERSTRUCTURE," PARTICULARLY AYUB, THEY MUST BE PROFOUNDLY GRATIFIED BY CURRENT EVIDENCES THAT UNDERLYING TRENDS AND BASIC SITUATION IN PAK FAVOR THEIR DESIGNS. INTERPRET CHICOM DESIGNS TO BE: KA) TAKE ADVANTAGE DEEP PAK MCCONAUGHS
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PAK SENSE OF INJUSTICE KASHMIR AND INSECURITY VIS-A-VIS INDIA, AND OF US AND USSR SUBCONTINENTAL DILEMMA, (B) COM-PROMISE PAK SUFFICIENTLY TO PUT IT BEYOND REACH INDIAN CONCILIATION AND US ASSISTANCE, AND (C) GRADUALLY FOLD PAK INTO CHICOM ORBIT. DESPITE RATIONAL ARGUMENTS TO CONTRARY, WE CANNOT IGNORE DANGER POSSIBLE CHICOM POLICY GAINS, GIVEN PARTICULARLY: (A) PAK STRATEGIC POSITION, (B) UNDERLYING PAK INCLINATION TOWARD

PAGE 2 RUQV KR 47R CONFIDENTIAL NEUTRALISM, ANTI-IMPERIALISM, SOCIALISM, (C) GOP NOTION IT CAN HANDLE CHICOMS DESPITE, IN OUR VIEW, PROBABLE GOP INCAPACITY MAINTAIN DELICATELY BALANCED US-SOV-CHICOM POLICY ORIENTATION.

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9. IN SUM, WE BELIEVE CURRENT CHICOM VISIT ILLUSTRATES ANEW THAT PAK MAY FIND ITSELF SLIPPING TOWARD ALIGNMENT WITH CHICOMS, HOWEVER IRRATIONAL THIS MAY SEEM TO US. THIS ALMOST CERTAINLY IS NOT RPT NOT AYUB'S INTENTION. RATHER HE BELIEVES IT IMPERATIVE, AND THEREFORE POSSIBLE, TO SEEK SUPPORT FROM, AND REMAIN ON GOOD TERMS WITH, ALL QUARTERS CONCURRENTLY. HOWEVER, AYUB COULD BECOME INCREASINGLY PRISONER OF EVENTS AND, ANY CASE, IS IN VULNERABLE POLITICAL POSITION. MOREOVER, WE SUSPECT AYUB MAY UNDERESTIMATE SIGNIFICANCE AND EXTENT OF CUMULATIVE PSYCHOLOGICAL SOFTENING-UP OF PAK PUBLIC.

10. RECOMMENDATION:

FABRICATED NATURE CHICOM VISIT GIVES ALL CONCERNED TWO WEEK INTERMISSION TO REVIEW AND ASSESS WEST PAK PERFORMANCE BEFORE PLUNGING INTO EAST WING PHASE APRIL 15-17. FOR US, THIS MAY BE OPPORTUNITY WEIGH IN WITH GOP AND INFLUENCE FURTHER COURSE OF VISIT, ALBEIT ACCORDING YHOAIB, NOTHING LIELY TO OCCUR AT DACCA TO ALTER WHAT HE

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CONSIDERS CURRENTLY SATISFACTORY GOP STANCE. RECOGNIZING DELICATE CHARACTER ANY SUCH US EFFORT, WE RECOMMEND PROMPT CONSIDERATION OF INSTRUCTION TO AMB TO APPROACH AYUB ALONG FOLLOWING LINES:

(A) TO INDICATE APPRECIATION HIS EFFORTS URGE CHICOMS TO VIETNAM NEGOTIATIONS AND SINO-AMERICAN EXCHANGES, EXPECTATION HE WILL RECOGNIZE SIGNIFICANCE CHICOM INTRANSIGENCE BOTH SCORES, AND COGNIZANCE HIS RESTRAINT AS EVIDENCED IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE AND ELSEWHERE;

(B) TO EXPRESS CONCERN AT UNBALANCED PUBLIC PRAISE OF CHICOM SUPPORT IN INDO-PAK CONFRONTATION, CONVICTION CHICOM ACTION IN SEPT AND SUBSEQUENTLY REPRESENTED COLD BLOODED AND CYNICAL EXPLOITATION OF SUBCONTINENTAL CRISES, AND BELIEF US ACTED EFFECTIVELY TO LIMIT SEPT DISASTER FOR BOTH PAK AND INDIA;

(C) TO WARN AGAINST TENDENCIES WHICH WIDESPREAD PRO-CHICOM AND CONCURRENT ANTI-US CONDITIONING OF PAK PUBLIC MAY DEVELOP WITHIN PAK, AND OF ADVERSE POLITICAL PRESSURES WHICH SUCH PUBLIC DISPLAYS, INCLUDING RECENT PARADING CHICOM ARMS, COULD BUILD UP WITHIN US;

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(D) TO INDICATE THERE ARE LIMITS OUR CAPABILITY TOLERATE
PAK INVOLVEMENT WITH CHICOM;

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(E) TO INDICATE OUR UNDERSTAND OF HIS CONCERN TO ACHIEVE A
STABLE PAK MILITARY RELATIONSHIP VIS-A-VIS INDIA.

11. CONCURRENTLY, OTHER GOVTS WITH INFLUENCE HERE, E.G.
IRAN, TURKEY, UK, MIGHT BE ENCOURAGED EVIDENCE SUPPORTING VIEWS.

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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT

1. ALL PAPERS MARCH 27-28 CONTINUE GIVE PROMINENT NEWS COVERAGE TO VISIT CHICOM PRESIDENT. TREATMENT ALONG LINES APP RELEASES.

2. PRESS TRUST DAINIK PAKISTAN IN MARCH 27 EDITORIAL STATES PAK-CHINESE FRIENDSHIP HAS GIVEN NEW STATUS TO MUTUAL FREEDOM AND SOVEREIGNTY AND HAS BECOME A GUARANTEE OF SECURITY AGAINST OUTSIDE CONSPIRACY. AT SAME TIME BOTH SIDES HAVE BENEFITTED. PAKISTAN HAS EARNED FOREIGN EXCHANGE SELLING COTTON, JUTE AND OTHER RAW MATERIALS TO CHINA AND CHINA IS EXPORTING HER INDUSTRIAL GOODS TO PAKISTAN. CHINA HELPING PAKISTAN'S INDUSTRIALIZATION BY INTEREST FREE LONG TERM LOANS FOR MACHINERY. PAK-CHINA AIR LINK HAS BEEN PROFITABLE. BORDER PACT HAS FREED REGION FROM DANGER BORDER CLASHES. CHINA EXTENDED HELP AND SYMPATHY WHEN OTHER FRIENDS STOPPED ALL AID. THIS SECOND SOURCE FOR DEFENSE NEEDS HAS SAVED PAKISTAN FROM PRESSURE POLITICS OF BIG POWERS.

3. MORNING NEWS (PRESS TRUST) EDITORIAL MARCH 28 SOMEWHAT SIMILAR BUT MORE SUBDUED THAN ONE ABOVE. BOWLING UNQUOTE MCCONAUGHY

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1. FIRST FULL DAY CHICOM PROGRAM IN LAHORE SAW FURTHER DEMONSTRATIONS "PAK-CHINA SOLIDARITY" WHICH HAS BECOME THE DOMINANT THEME OF THE VISIT. IN THE MORNING LIU AND PARTY VISITED IQBAL'S TOMB, BADSHAHI MASJID AND FORT; LUNCHEDED WITH PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION AT GYM KHANA; ATTENDED EVENING CIVIC RECEPTION AT SHALIMAR; WITNESSED CULTURAL PROGRAM AT NEW PUNJAB UNIVERSITY CAMPUS. ALSO IN MORNING MADAME LIU AND OTHER WOMEN WENT TO NATIONAL COLLEGE OF ARTS.

2. STREETS WERE LINED WITH APPLAUDING, FLAG-WAVING SPECTATORS WHEREVER VISITORS MOVED. SLOGANS AND PLACARDS CONTINUED THEME OF "TRUE FRIEND" AND HIT AGAIN AT UNFAITHFULNESS OF US. THOUGH WE ARE TOLD ANTI-US SLOGANS ARE STARTED BY NAP WORKERS, THE SENTIMENTS ARE PICKED UP WITH ALACRITY BY THE MASSES OF ONLOOKERS.

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3. IN HIS SEVERAL SPEECHES LEE AGAIN PICKED UP THEMES OF PAK-CHINA COOPERATION AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND INDIAN AGGRESSION, CHICOM SUPPORT TO PAKS ON KASHMIR ISSUE AND BRAVERY OF LAHORIS WHO FACED THE ENEMY. AT SHALIMAR CHEN YI SAID ACCORDING TO PRESS: IT IS "CHINA'S BOUNDEN DUTY TO SUPPORT THE PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE IN THEIR JUST STRUGGLE AGAINST INDIA'S ARMED AGGRESSION".

4. COMMENT: CHICOMS ARE DEFTLY PLAYING ON SENSIBILITIES OF LAHORIS WHO ARE PERHAPS MOST SENSITIVE OF ALL PAKISTANIS ON KASHMIR AND INDIAN QUESTIONS. AS RESULT, CHICOMS ARE MAKING PROPAGANDA HAY AT EXPENSE OF US WITH GENERAL PUBLIC.
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FOLLOWING IS TEXT AS CARRIED IN PRESS OF CHEN YI
SPEECH GIVEN ON MARCH 30 AT CIVIC RECEPTION IN KARACHI
IN HONOR CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED):

"LAST YEAR, HIS EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT MOHAMMAD AYUB KHAN
PAID A VISIT TO CHINA, AND WE WERE GRATEFUL TO HIM FOR BRINGING
WITH HIM PROFOUND FRIENDSHIP OF PAKISTAN PEOPLE FOR CHINESE
PEOPLE. NOW CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI HAS BEEN PERSONALLY
ACCORDED ENTHUSIASTIC CORDIAL WELCOME BY PAKISTAN PEOPLE
ON PRESENT VISIT TO PAKISTAN. WE DEEPLY MOVED.

"THESE DAYS, WE HAVE BEEN LIVING AMIDST PAKISTAN PEOPLE,

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WE HAVE FELT AS IF WE WERE HOME. WE WERE ACCORDED HEART-
STIRRING WELCOME WHEREVER WE WENT, IN RAWALPINDI IN LAHORE.
TODAY UPON OUR ARRIVAL HERE, WE AGAIN WARMLY GREETED BY PEOPLE
OF KARACHI WITH CHEERS IN PRAISE OF SINO-PAKISTAN FRIENDSHIP.
NOW WE ENTERTAINED BY KARACHI MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AT
MAGNIFICENT RECEPTION. ON BEHALF CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI AND
MY COLLEAGUES, I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS HEART FELT THANKS TO
OUR FRIENDS PRESENT AND THROUGH YOU, TO ALL PEOPLE OF KARACHI.

"KARACHI IS BIGGEST INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL CITY AND A
FAMOUS PORT OF PAKISTAN. KARACHI IS OF PIVOTAL SIGNIFICANCE TO
FRIENDLY INTERCOURSE AND ECONOMIC AND TRADE RELATIONS BETWEEN
CHINA AND PAKISTAN. NOW CHINESE ECONOMIC AND TRADE EXHIBITION
IS BEING HELD IN YOUR CITY. TENS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE
ARE COMING TO SEE THIS EXHIBITION EVERY DAY WHICH AGAIN
FULLY DEMONSTRATES PAKISTAN PEOPLES FRIENDLY SENTIMENTS FOR
CHINA. WE GLAD TO SEE IN RECENT YEARS THE VOLUME OF TRADE.

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BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES HAS MULTIPLIED SEVERAL-FOLD AND THAT OUR ECONOMIC COOPERATION HAS RAPIDLY STRENGTHENED.

"THE ECONOMIC AND TRADE RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES ARE BASED ON EQUALITY, MUTUAL BENEFIT, MUTUAL SUPPLY

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OF NEEDED GOODS AND MUTUAL SUPPORT. THESE RELATIONS ARE CONDUCTIVE TO DEVELOPMENT OF OUR RESPECTIVE NATIONAL ECONOMY, ENABLING US TO RESIST MORE EFFECTIVELY IMPERIALISTS EXPLOITATION, PLUNDER AND CONTROL. WE BELIEVE BROAD VISTAS LIE AHEAD FOR DEVELOPMENT OF ENDS: WE HAVE COME TO VISIT YOU, BRINGING WITH US CHINESE PEOPLES DESIRE TO MAINTAIN EVERLASTING FRIENDSHIP WITH PAKISTAN PEOPLE. THIS DESIRE HAS MET WITH MOST EMPHATIC RESPONSE ON PART OF PAKISTAN PEOPLE. AS CHINESE SAYING GOES, "STRENGTH OF A STEED IS TESTED BY LENGTH OF THE JOURNEY, AND THE HEART OF A MAN IS KNOWN WITH PASSAGE OF TIME," FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO PEOPLES HAS GONE THROUGH TESTS OF HARDSHIPS AND PROVED TO BE FIRM AND RELIABLE.

"THE CHINESE PEOPLE HAVE CONSISTENTLY SUPPORTED PAKISTANS JUST STAND ON SETTLEMENT OF KASHMIR QUESTION. WE ARE GRATEFUL TO PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE FOR THEIR CORRECT APPRAISAL OF THIS. DEAR FRIENDS, CHINESE PEOPLE, ON THEIR PART, WILL NOT FORGET SUPPORT GIVEN THEM BY PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. SUCH MUTUAL SUPPORT CONSTITUTES RELIABLE

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BASIS FOR PROFOUND FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO PEOPLES. WE ARE CONCLUDING OUR VISIT TO WEST PAKISTAN TOMORROW. ON EVE OF DEPARTURE, I WOULD LIKE TO REASSURE PAKISTAN PEOPLE: 650 MILLION CHINESE PEOPLE WILL FOREVER REMAIN YOUR MOST RELIABLE FRIENDS IN YOUR STRUGGLE TO DEFEND NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND OPPOSE FOREIGN INTERVENTION AND AGGRESSION.

"CHINI-PAKISTANI DOSTI ZINDABAD." MCCONAUGHY
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THE FOLLOWING JOINT COMMUNIQUE HAS BEEN ISSUED IN
PEKING AND KARACHI SIMULTANEOUSLY (1300 HOURS, MARCH 31,
KARACHI TIME) ON CONCLUSION 5-DAY VISIT OF CPR PRES
LIU SHAO-CHI (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED):

"AT INVITATION FIELD MARSHAL MOHAMMAD AYUB KHAN,
PRESIDENT OF PAKISTAN, HIS EXCELLENCY MR. LIU SHAO-CHI,
CHAIRMAN OF PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA, AND MADAME LIU
SHAO-CHI PAID FRIENDLY STATE VISIT TO PAKISTAN. THEY WERE
ACCOMPANIED BY VICE-PREMIER CHEN YI, MADAME CHEN YI AND

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OTHER HIGH OFFICIALS OF CHINESE GOVERNMENT.

"DURING VISIT, CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI AND HIS PARTY WERE
ACCORDED ROUSING WELCOME AND MAGNIFICENT RECEPTION EVERYWHERE
BY PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE, WHICH DEMONSTRATED THE
SINCERE FRIENDSHIP OF PAKISTAN PEOPLE FOR CHINESE PEOPLE.
CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI EXPRESSED HIS HEART FELT THANKS TO THE
PRESIDENT AND PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE.

"CHAIRMAN AND PRESIDENT HAD FRANK AND FRIENDLY EXCHANGE OF
VIEWS ON PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION AND FURTHER DEVELOPMENT
OF FRIENDLY RELATIONS AND COOPERATION BETWEEN CHINA AND
PAKISTAN. THEY EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT RESULTS OF TALKS.

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"CHAIRMAN AND PRESIDENT STRESSED THAT KASHMIRI PEOPLES RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION MUST BE RESPECTED AND KASHMIR DISPUTE SHOULD BE SETTLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH WISHES OF KASHMIRI PEOPLE AS PLEDGED TO THEM BY BOTH PAKISTAN AND INDIA. PRESIDENT REAFFIRMED THAT PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE TO SUPPORT KASHMIRI PEOPLES STRUGGLE FOR SELF-DETERMINATION. CHAIRMAN REAFFIRMED FIRM SUPPORT OF CHINESE GOVERNMENT ON THIS DISPUTE AND JUST STRUGGLE OF KASHMIRI PEOPLE FOR THEIR RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION.

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"THE PRESIDENT EXPRESSED DEEP GRATITUDE OF GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN FOR SUPPORT THEY RECEIVED FROM GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF CHINA IN RESISTING AGGRESSION AND INTERVENTION. CHAIRMAN REAFFIRMED THAT CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE ADHERE TO THEIR PRINCIPLED STAND OF OPPOSING AGGRESSION AND ASSISTING ITS VICTIMS, AND THAT CHINESE PEOPLE UNSWERVINGLY STAND ON SIDE OF PAKISTAN'S PEOPLE IN THEIR STRUGGLE TO DEFEND NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY AND OPPOSE AGGRESSION.

"PRESIDENT REITERATED FIRM BELIEF OF GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN THAT PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA SHOULD BE RESTORED ITS LAWFUL RIGHTS IN UNITED NATIONS, AND ANY SCHEME TO CREATE TWO CHINAS" IS BOUND TO FAIL. CHAIRMAN EXPRESSED THANKS FOR THIS STAND.

"CHAIRMAN AND PRESIDENT EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT DEVELOPMENTS OF FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THEIR COUNTRIES. THEY STRESSED THAT FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN CHINA AND PAKISTAN IS NOT BASED ON EXPEDIENCY BUT HAS SOLID FOUNDATION. PEOPLE OF TWO COUNTRIES HAVE GIVEN SYMPATHY AND SUPPORT TO EACH OTHER IN STRUGGLE AGAINST AGGRESSION, AND PROFOUND FRIENDSHIP HAS BEEN FORGED BETWEEN THEM. TWO PARTIES ARE DETERMINED TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN AND DEVELOP FRIENDLY RELATIONS AND COOPERATION BETWEEN CHINA AND

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PAKISTAN, AND HOLD THAT THIS IS IN ACCORD WITH COMMON DESIRE OF TWO PEOPLES AND CONDUCTIVE TO AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY AND WORLD PEACE." MCCONAUGHY

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NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT NEVARD HAS GIVEN EMBASSY FOLLOWING
 NOTES ON PRESS INTERVIEW FORMIN BHUTTO ACCORDED WESTERN
 CORRESPONDENTS PRESENT IN LAHORE MARCH 29. BHUTTO ACCOM-
 PANIED BY ADDITIONAL FONSEC AGHA SHAHI AND PRESS SEC GAUHAR,
 AND MADE HIS OBSERVATIONS IN ANSWER SPECIFIC QUESTIONS.

CHICOM ARMS

QUESTIONED RE CHICOM ARMS IN NATIONAL DAY PARADE MARCH 23,

BHUTTO INDICATED CHICOM ARMS NEEDED DURING WAR . . . CHICOM ARMS
 SOMETHING WHICH STEMMED FROM WAR AND NOT FROM POLICY DECISION . .
 THERE HAVE BEEN NO NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN PAK AND CHINA COVERING
 MILITARY ASSISTANCE ON SHORT-TERM BASIS . . . WITH TRADITIONAL
 SOURCES OF ARMS DENIED TO US WE HAD TO ACCEPT CHICOM ARMS.
 BHUTTO SIDESTEPED QUESTION OF TOTALITY OF CHICOM MILITARY
 AID AS IT NOW STANDS BUT STRESSED THAT WHATEVER PAK HAS HAS
 COME DURING OR IMMEDIATELY AFTER WAR. AS FOR FUTURE ARMS FROM
 CHICOM HE INDICATED THAT QUESTION WOULD DEPEND ON CONDITIONS
 SUCH AS-- WILL TRADITIONAL SOURCES RE-OPEN; WILL INDIA CONTINUE
 AUGMENTING HER MILITARY STRENGTH; WILL INDIA GO ON GETTING

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CHICOM VISIT KARACHI

AGAINST BACKDROP OF EXUBERANT PRESS (SEE SEPTEL), KARACHIITES TURNED OUT IN LARGE NUMBERS TO STAND IN HONOR TO GREET CPR PRESIDENT LIU SHAO-CHI AND PARTY. PUBLIC DECORATIONS LAVISH, INCLUDING LARGE PORTRAITS ALONG ROUTE FROM AIRPORT TO CITY CENTER DEPICTING LIU, PRESIDENT AYUB INTER ALIA. PRIVATE SHOPS ENCOURAGED TO ADD FLAGS AND BUNTING. DEGREE OF RETURNING ALSO NOTED VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

NUMBER OF FACILITIES OFFERED TO GET OUT CROWN SUCH AS DECLARATION HOLIDAY IN INDUSTRIAL AREA, DISMISSAL OF SCHOOLS, AND PROVISION OF FREE BUS TRANSPORTATION (REPORTEDLY BY BUS COMPANIES THEMSELVES). IN CIRCUMSTANCES TURN-OUT CONSIDERABLE, BUT ACCORDING SOME OBSERVERS SMALLER THAN THAT FOR EISENHOWER IN 1962.

SOME OBSERVERS HEARD FEW ANTI-US SLOGANS RAISED BY SMALL GROUPS OR EVEN INDIVIDUALS WHICH NOT HOWEVER ECHOED BY MANY. THEY INCLUDED "DOWN WITH US" AND OFTEN ACCOMPANIED BY ANTI-INDIAN SLOGANS AND SOME DENIGRATING TASHKENT. COMMUNIST-LINE MAP GROUPS OF STUDENTS OR PARTY WORKERS MAINLY RESPONSIBLE ANTI-US SLOGANS. SOME GROUPS DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS WELCOMING CHICOM AND ATTACKING US. MAIN THEME OF PAMPHLETS WAS CHINESE AID TO PAK DURING INDIAN ATTACK AFTER US DESERTED PAK ALLY. US ACCUSED OF INSTIGATING INDIAN AGGRESSION. ONE TRACT

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DEMANDED WITHDRAWAL FROM SEATO, CENCO, DEFENSE PACT WITH CHINA, SUPPORT FOR VIET CONG, SELF-DETERMINATION FOR KASHMIR, AND SUPPORT FOR AFRO-ASIAN STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM.

VERY STRINGENT SECURITY MEASURES ENFORCED. SCENE OF CIVIC RECEPTION AT FRERE HALL ACROSS FROM EMBASSY UNDER GUARD 24 HOURS PRIOR TO EVENT. LIU AND PARTY DROVE AT FAST CLIP FROM AIRPORT TO CITY IN SPITE OF LARGE CROWDS ALONG ROUTE. UNIFORMED POLICE ALONG ROUTE NOT TOO MUCH IN EVIDENCE BUT MANY PLAINCLOTHESMEN IN CROWD.

WREATH-LAYING CEREMONY AT JINNAH'S TOMB, SCHEDULED IMMEDIATELY AFTER ARRIVAL, POSTPONED FOR FOUR HOURS, DISAPPOINTING CROWDS ALONG ROUTE.

COMMENT: RECEPTION WARM BUT APPARENTLY NOT AS ENTHUSIASTIC AS THAT IN LAHORE. TO AMUSEMENT OBSERVERS US EMBASSY, WHICH LIU PASSED, LIU ARRIVED AT CIVIC RECEPTION IN CADILLAC, WHERE BAND HAD ALREADY WARMED UP TO TUNE OF "DIXIE." MCCONAUGHY BT

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FOLLOWING IS TEXT AS CARRIED IN PRESS OF CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI
SPEECH MADE AT BANQUET GIVEN IN HIS HONOR MARCH 29 BY GOVERNOR
MALIK AMIR MOHAMMAD KHAN (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED):

"THE LAHORE DISTRICT WAS BATTLE-FRONT, WHERE PAKISTAN DEALT
HEAVY BLOW AT INDIAN AGGRESSORS. WE ARE VERY HAPPY TO HAVE COME
TO THIS HEROIC CITY.

"ON BEHALF OF CHINESE PEOPLE, I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY
TO SALUTE HEROIC PEOPLE OF LAHORE, PAYING TRIBUTE OF SORROW TO
MARTYRS, WHO VALIANTLY LAID DOWN THEIR LIVES AT DIFFERENT FRONTS
AND EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY TO ALL OUR BROTHERS WHO WERE WOUNDED AND

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TO FAMILIES OF MARTYRS.

"TODAY, WE WERE ACCORDED EXTREMELY WARM WELCOME BY MASSES
OF PEOPLE OF LAHORE. STREETS WERE THROGGED WITH CROWDS,
PRESENTING SPECTACLE OF JUBILATION.

"THIS IS VIVID EXPRESSION OF FRATERNAL SENTIMENTS OF PAKISTAN
PEOPLE FOR CHINESE PEOPLE, AND NOW HIS EXCELLENCY GOVERNOR IS
HOLDING THIS SUMPTUOUS BANQUET FOR US.

"ON BEHALF MY COLLEAGUES AND IN MY OWN NAME, I WOULD LIKE TO
EXPRESS HEARTY THANKS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, TO OUR
FRIENDS PRESENT HERE, TO PEOPLE OF LAHORE.

"I PROPOSE TOAST TO HEROIC CITY OF LAHORE AND HEROIC PEOPLE OF
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"TO FRATERNAL FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN CHINESE AND PAKISTANI PEOPLES.

"TO THE HEALTH OF HIS EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT MOHAMMAD AYUB KHAN,
TO HEALTH OF EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, TO HEALTH OF H.E. MR. BHUTTO
AND BEGUM BHUTTO, AND TO HEALTH OF ALL OUR PAKISTAN FRIENDS
PRESENT HERE."

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FOLLOWING IS TEXT AS CARRIED IN PRESS OF CHEN YI'S SPEECH GIVEN IN LAHORE AT CIVIC RECEPTION MARCH 29 IN HONOUR CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI (UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED):

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"DURING OUR PRESENT FRIENDLY VISIT IN PAKISTAN, WE HAVE BEEN WARMLY WELCOMED AND HOSPITABLY RECEIVED EVERYWHERE. YESTERDAY WHEN WE ARRIVED HERE, WE WERE GREETED BY THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE OF LAHORE OVERFLOWING WITH ENTHUSIASM.

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"THESE HEART-WARMING SCENES VIVIDLY DEMONSTRATE SINCERE FRIENDSHIP OF PAKISTAN PEOPLE FOR CHINESE PEOPLE. NOW LAHORE MUNICIPAL

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PAGE TWO RUFJKP 795 UNCLAS CORPORATION IS HOLDING FOR US THIS CORDIAL AND FRIENDLY RECEPTION, GIVING US AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEET PEOPLE OF ALL CIRCLES IN LAHORE.

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ON BEHAL OF CHAIMAN LIU SHAO-CHI AND MY COLLEAGUES, I EXTEND HEARTY THANKS AND CORDIAL GREETINGS TO ALL PEOPLE OF LAHORE.

"LAHORE IS BEAUTIFUL ANCIENT CITY OF CULTURE, HERE, WE HAVE VISITED MAGNIFICENT ARCHITECTURES AND APPRECIATED FAMOUS HISTORICAL RELICS. THE TALENT AND WISDOM AND SPLENDID CULTURAL HERITAGE OF PAKISTAN PEOPLE HAVE LEFT UPON US INDELLIBLE IMPRESSION.

"LAHORE IS ALSO HEROIC CITY. LAST YEAR WHEN PAKISTAN PEOPLE ROSE IN RESISTANCE AGAINST INDIA'S ARMED AGGRESSION, PEOPLE OF LAHORE STOOD AT FOREFRONT OF STRUGGLE. FACED WITH INVASION OF STRONG ENEMY, YOU PUT UP VALIANT RESISTANCE FEARED NO SACRIFICE AND DISPLACED GREAT PATRIOTISM AND HEROISM, THUS ADDING BRILLIANT CHAPTER TO ANNALS OF PAKISTAN PEOPLE'S FIGHT AGAINST AGGRESSION, UNDER LEADERSHIP OF PRESIDENT MOHAMMAD AYUB KHAN.

"THE PAKISTAN PEOPLE, UNITED AS ONE AND FILLED WITH COMMON HATRED

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TOWARDS THEIR ENEMY, TRIUMPHED OVER ENEMY SUPERIORITY IN STRENGTH AND NUMBERS AND FINALLY REPULSED AGGRESSION AND SAFEGUARDED INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY OF THEIR COUNTRY. YOUR VICTORY

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SHOWS THAT PEOPLE FIGHTING FOR JUST CAUSE IS INVINCIBLE.

"ON BEHALF OF CHINESE PEOPLE, I WISH TO PAY HIGH TRIBUTE TO PEOPLE OF LAHORE AND ENTIRE PAKISTAN PEOPLE.

"THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE FIRMLY SUPPORT PAKISTAN PEOPLE IN THEIR STRUGGLE IN DEFENCE OF NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE. THIS HAS BEEN THE CASE IN PAST AND WILL STILL BE CASE IN FUTURE. THIS PRINCIPLED STAND OF OURS IS FIRM AND UNSHAKABLE.

"WHERE THERE IS OPPRESSION, THERE IS RESISTANCE. IT IS ONLY NATURAL THAT PEOPLE OF INDIAN-OCCUPIED KASHMIR, WHO COULD NO LONGER TOLERATE BRUTAL RULE, SHOULD HAVE UNFOLDED HEROIC STRUGGLE.

"THE KASHMIRI PEOPLE WILL NOT STOP THEIR RESISTANCE SO LONG AS INDIA DOES NOT CEASE ITS OPPRESSION. AS PRESIDENT AYUB KHAN POINTED OUT, "THERE WOULD BE NO PEACE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAKISTAN UNLESS KASHMIR DISPUTE WAS SETTLED." KASHMIRI PEOPLE'S RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION MUST BE RESPECTED. KASHMIRI PEOPLE WILL SURELY WIN FINAL VICTORY IN THEIR JUST STRUGGLE FOR NATIONAL SELF-DETERMINATION.

"A PROFOUND MILITANT FRIENDSHIP HAS BEEN FORGED BETWEEN CHINESE AND PAKISTAN PEOPLE IN STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM. THIS FRIENDSHIP IS BASED ON MUTUAL SYMPATHY AND SUPPORT. IT IS SINCERE AND DISINTERESTED FRIENDSHIP WHICH CAN STAND ALL TESTS.

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"SUPPORT IS NEVER ONE-SIDED, IT IS OUR BOUNDEN DUTY TO GIVE FIRM SUPPORT TO PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE IN THEIR JUST STRUGGLE AGAINST INDIA'S ARMED AGGRESSION. WHAT SHOULD BE STRESSED IS PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE HAVE GIVEN MORE SUPPORT TO CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE BY UPHOLDING JUSTICE IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS. YOU STAND FOR THE RESTORATION OF CHINA'S LEGITIMATE RIGHTS IN UNITED NATIONS.

"AND YOU HAVE REFUTED IN INTERNATIONAL FORUMS ALL KINDS OF SLANDERS MADE BY THE IMPERIALISTS AND REACTIONARIES AGAINST THE

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CHINESE PEOPLE. THEREFORE CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE SHOULD
THANK THE PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE FOR THEIR SUPPORT.

"I RECALL WHEN I ACCOMPANIED PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI ON HIS VISIT TO
THIS HEROIC CITY IN 1964, WE SAID FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO
PEOPLES HAS A SOLID FOUNDATION, AND IS BY NO MEANS BASED ON
EXPEDIENCY. THIS HAS BEEN FULLY BORNE OUT BY FACTS IN PAST TWO
YEARS. LET PEOPLE OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES CONTINUE TO SUPPORT EACH
OTHER IN FUTURE STRUGGLES, SO THAT OUR FRIENDSHIP MAY FURTHER
DEVELOP AND BECOME MORE CONSOLIDATED.

"LONG LIVE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN CHINESE AND PAKISTAN PEOPLES. LONG
LIVE AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY. LONG LIVE WORLD PEACE."
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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT

1. WITH LITTLE SUBSTANTIVE INFORMATION YET AVAILABLE REGARDING PAK-CHICOM DISCUSSIONS, RAWALPINDI OBSERVERS FOCUSING ON //XEANCES// LIU-AYUB EXCHANGES. COMMENTS BY FRIENDLY DIPLOMATS HERE INDICATE BELIEF PAKS AND CHICOMS HAVING DIFFICULTY IN GETTING TOGETHER ON SOME FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES. THIS PRESUMPTION SOMEWHAT STRENGTHENED BY TODAY'S PRESS ANNOUNCEMENT THAT JOINT COMMUNIQUE, EARLIER SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 28, IS TO BE RELEASED UPON CONCLUSION CHICOM VISIT TO WEST WING MARCH 31.

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2. FRENCH AMBASSADOR EXPRESSED VIEW THAT AYUB'S TOAST AT BANQUET ON FIRST DAY (MARCH 26) OF VISIT WAS AT LEAST AS MUCH REBUTTAL AS RESPONSE TO CHICOM POINT OF VIEW. HE NOTED AYUB'S STATEMENT OF PAKISTAN'S DESIRE TO DEVELOP FRIENDLY TIES WITH "ALL COUNTRIES" IN A RELATIONSHIP BASED UPON "EQUALITY AND MUTUAL RESPECT FOR SOVEREIGNTY." THIS HE INTERPRETED AS A WARNING THAT WHILE PAKISTAN VALUED ITS RELATIONS WITH CHINA, IT WAS NOT PREPARED TO SACRIFICE ITS TIES WITH THE

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UNITED STATES. FRENCH AMBASSADOR ALSO COMMENTED THAT WHILE ALL PAKISTANIS SEEMED PLEASE BY LIU'S STRONG STATEMENT SUPPORT SELF-DETERMINATION FOR KASHMIR, PRESIDENT AYUB HAD SAT WITH "FROZEN FACE" THROUGH OTHER PARTS LIU'S SPEECH, PARTICULARLY PORTIONS ON VIETNAM. AYUB APPLAUDED PERFUNCTORILY AT END IN NOTABLE CONTRAST TO ENTHUSIASM SHOWN BY FOREIGN MINISTER BHUTTO, DEFENSE ADVISER FARUQUE, AND GENERAL MUSA.

3. WHILE REVIEW OF TEXT OF AYUB'S SPEECH AT MARCH 26 DINNER (KARACHI'S 1808 SECSTATE) DOES NOT PROVIDE CONCLUSIVE SUPPORT FOR FRENCH AMBASSADOR'S ARGUMENT, IT IS NOTABLE NOT ONLY FOR PHRASES HE CITED BUT ALSO FOR ITS STRONG DEFENSE TASHKENT AGREEMENT. PRESUMABLY, AYUB TOOK THIS STAND WITH

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KNOWLEDGE THAT CHICOMS HAD ATTACKED TASHKENT DECLARATION IN STRONG TERMS.

4. DIPLOMATIC OBSERVERS HAVE ALSO COMMENTED THAT LIU'S REMARKS AT MARCH 27 BANQUET WERE "TONED DOWN" AS COMPARED WITH HIS TOAST ON MARCH 26, AND SOME SPECULATE THAT THIS MODERATION REFLECTED PAK PERSUASION DURING INTERIM. INDIAN COUNSELOR SUGGESTED SOURLY THAT PAKS WOULD CITE THIS AS EVIDENCE OF THEIR ABILITY INFLUENCE CHICOMS TOWARD MORE MODERATE POSITIONS IN ORDER SECURE CONCESSIONS FROM USG PRESS ACCOUNTS OF SECOND SET OF SPEECHES (TEXTS NOT AVAILABLE) INDICATE LIU SAID "BASIC POLICY ON BOTH SIDES... WAS EQUALITY, NON-INTERFERENCE IN EACH OTHER'S INTERNAL AFFAIRS." AYUB REPORTEDLY SAID BOTH SIDES HAD BEEN TALKING ALL DAY ABOUT WORLD PEACE AND MAINTAINING PEACE IN REGION, AND THAT TALKS HAD BEEN BASE UPON "ACCEPTED PRINCIPLES" OF PAK FOREIGN POLICY FOR "DEVELOPING FRIENDLY RELATIONS ON BILATERAL BASIS ... WITHOUT JEOPARDIZING INTERESTS OF SOMEBODY ELSE."

5. FOLLOWING COMMENTS, SOME SPECULATIVE, OF INTEREST IN CONNECTION WITH CHICOM VISIT:

(A). SOME DIPLOMATIC SPECULATION THAT CHICOM PRESSING FOR REFERENCE TO VIETNAM IN COMMUNIQUE IN RETURN FOR STRONG

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STATEMENT SUPPORT PAK POSITION ON KASHMIR.

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(B) APPARENTLY AS LAST MINUTE CHANGE IN MARCH 27 PROGRAM, CHICOM DELEGATION SHORTENED ITS TOUR OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE OF TAXILA IN ORDER MAKE SWING THROUGH PAKISTAN'S ONLY MAJOR ORDNANCE PLANT AT NEARBY TOWN OF WAH.

(C) PRESS REPORT ATTRIBUTED TO FOREIGN MINISTRY INDICATES BHUTTO AND CHEN YI WILL CONTINUE MINISTERIAL LEVEL MEETINGS UNTIL END OF TOUR, AND SPECULATION HERE IS THAT BHUTTO WILL REMAIN WITH PARTY THROUGH TOUR WEST WING.

(D) INTERESTING PORTION OF LIU'S MARCH 26 TOAST KARACHI'S 1808 WAS STATEMENT THAT: "RECENTLY WHEN IMPERIALISTS ... WERE VILIFYING CHINA...AND ATTEMPTING FORM-RING OF ENCIRCLEMENT...PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT STERNLY REFUTED NONSENSE ABOUT CHINA'S THREAT TO SUB-CONTINENT." NO ONE HERE IS LIKELY MISS THIS CHINESE ACCOLADE FOR BHUTTO.

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PRESS TRUST MORNING NEWS TODAY QUOTES PPA REPORT THAT NE WIN
WILL ARRIVE DACCA APRIL 11, THAT AYUB WILL COME TO EAST PAKISTAN
THAT TIME, AND THAT VISIT OF CHICOM HEAD OF STATE WILL OVERLAP
NE WIN VISIT. STORY SAYS AYUB WILL ACCOMPANY TWO CHIEFS OF STATE
DURING THEIR STAY IN EAST WING. TRIPLE SUMMIT MEETING IS IMPLIED.
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1. GOJ MARCH 29 OFFICIALLY REJECTED APPLICATION FOR ENTRY INTO JAPAN OF EIGHT-MAN CHICOM DELEGATION INVITED BY JSP ON GROUNDS THAT PURPOSE OF CHICOM VISIT POLITICAL AND HARMFUL TO JAPAN'S NATIONAL INTEREST. DECISION ANNOUNCED TO JSP BY JUSTICE MINISTRY AFTER CABINET DELEGATED FINAL DECISION TO CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY, JUSTICE MINISTER AND FOMIN. GOJ STATEMENT EXPLAINING DECISION SAID CHICOM PURPOSE WAS TO "ACCUSE AND ATTACK GOJ POLICIES ON BASIS OF POLITICAL STAND THAT AMERICAN IMPERIALISM IS COMMON ENEMY OF JAPAN AND U.S."

2. JSP IMMEDIATELY ISSUED COUNTER STATEMENT ATTACKING GOJ ACTION AS MANIFESTATION OF SATO GOVERNMENT'S "HOSTILE ATTITUDE" TOWARD

COMMUNIST CHINA AND OF ITS "HUMILIATING CAPITULATION TO PRESSURES OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM AND TAIWAN." JSP ALSO CHARGED GOJ ACTION WOULD PRECIPITATE CRISIS IN SINO-JAPANESE RELATIONS, PLEDGED ALL-OUT FIGHT IN AND OUT OF DIET FOR ADMISSION CHICOM DELEGATION.

3. JSP EXPECTED RAISE ISSUE IN DIET AND TO HOLD TOKYO PRO-TEST RALLY OF "PROGRESSIVE" ORGANIZATIONS MARCH 30. INDICATIONS ARE, HOWEVER, ONLY TOKEN RESPONSE TO RALLY CALL LIKELY SINCE MODERATE ELEMENTS IN LEFT UNENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT CHICOM VISIT AT THIS TIME.

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NIC 1. PRESS COVERAGE OF LIU SHAO CHI VISIT MARCH 30 HEADLINED
TWO SPEECHES FOREIGN MINISTER CHEN YI MADE IN LAHORE MARCH 29.
PRESS ALSO GAVE PROMINENT COVERAGE TO KARACHI PREPARATIONS FOR
LIU VISIT AND DETAILS HIS LAHORE ACTIVITIES.

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2. AT LAHORE CIVIC RECEPTION CHEN YI QUOTED AS SAYING IT
NATURAL FOR KASHMIRIS TO STRUGGLE AGAINST INDIAN TYRANNY,
PREDICTED STRUGGLE WOULD CONTINUE AS LONG AS INDIAN OPPRESSION
EXISTED AND THAT KASHMIRIS WOULD WIN FINAL VICTORY, AND AGREED

WITH AYUB THAT THERE WOULD BE NO PEACE BETWEEN INDIA AND PAK
UNTIL KASHMIR SETTLED. REFERRING TO MILITANT FRIENDSHIP
BETWEEN CHINESE AND PAK PEOPLES IN STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM
AND COLONIALISM. HE SAID LAST TWO YEARS PROVED CHINA AND
PAK STOOD FAITHFULLY TOGETHER. CHEN YI THANKED PAKS FOR
ADVOCATING CHINA'S CAUSE AT UN AND FOR REPUDIATING SERIES
OF CALUMNIES AGAINST HER AT WORLD FORUMS. COMPLIMENTING
PAKS FOR FIGHTING UNDER AYUB'S LEADERSHIP AGAINST INDIAN
AGGRESSION, HE SAID IT CHINA'S BOUNDEN DUTY TO GIVE FIRM
SUPPORT TO PAKS AGAINST INDIAN AGGRESSION.

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3. IN SPEECH AT PAK CHINESE FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION LUNCHEON HE SAID PAK-CHINESE PEOPLE ATTACHED GREAT IMPORTANCE TO FRIENDSHIP BUT IMPERIALIST AND EXPANSIONISTS WERE MORTALLY AFRAID OF THIS DEVELOPMENT. IMPERIALISTS WERE HATCHING CONSPIRACY AGAINST TWO FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS BY FALSELY CLAIMING CHINA WAS THREAT TO PEACE OF SUB-CONTINENT. IMPERIALISTS AND EXPANSIONISTS AFRAID OF PAK-CHINA LINKS AND TRIED IN VAIN TO SABOTAGE THEM BY DRIVING WEDGE BETWEEN TWO FRIENDLY NATIONS.

4. PRESS TRUST MORNING NEWS AND ALL URDU NEWSPAPERS WELCOMED LIU TO KARACHI IN MARCH 30 EDITORIALS, AND THANKED CHINA

FOR HELP DURING SEPTEMBER WAR. ANJAM SAID CHINA CAME TO RESCUE WHEN PLEDGES OF ERSTWHILE FRIENDS PROVED FALSE AND SOME SO-CALLED ALLIES INDIRECTLY ENCOURAGED INDIAN AGGRESSION. JANG DESCRIBED CHINESE LEADERS AS ONLY PEOPLE ADHERING TO HONEST POLITICS. HURRIYAT SAID CHINA OFFERED CENTER OF UNITY FOR ASIA AND AT TIMES WHEN CERTAIN POWERS WRECKING AFRO-ASIAN-LATIAN AMERICAN SOLIDARITY IT IMPERATIVE FOR PAK AND CHINESE DRAW CLOSER AND HELP FRUSTRATE VILE DESIGNS.

5. KARACHI PRESS MARCH 30 CARRIED SEVERAL PAGE SUPPLEMENTS ON VISIT WHICH CONTAINED TYPICAL CHICOM PROPAGANDA. SUPPLEMENTS WHICH OBVIOUSLY PROFITABLE TO NEWSPAPERS CARRIED MANY ADVERTISEMENTS BY COMPANIES DOING BUSINESS WITH CHICOMS. WEST PAK INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION ALSO WELL REPRESENTED BY ADVERTISEMENTS. MCCONAUGHY

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REPORTS THAT LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT TO TWO WINGS OF
PAKISTAN NOT CONSECUTIVE BECAUSE LIU DOES NOT WISH
TO FLY OVER INDIA. JANATA REPORTS HE WILL VISIT
AFGHANISTAN AND BURMA BETWEEN VISITS TO WINGS.
JANATA ALSO REPORTS "LOCAL CITIZENS GROUP" ORGANIZING
LARGE RECEPTION FOR LIU AT DACCA. BOWLING

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CHICOM VISIT

1. LAHORE THIS MORNING FINDS MALL FESTOONED WITH FLUTTERING GREEN AND RED FLAGS, PICTURES OF AYUB, JINNAH AND LIU AND NEW COAT OF BADLY NEEDED PAINT ON NUMEROUS BUILDINGS INCLUDING GENERAL POST OFFICE WHICH UNTIL FRIDAY WORE ITS WARTIME MUD PLASTER.

2. POLICE HAVE PRESSED SHOPKEEPERS AND OTHERS INTO TIDYING AND PAINTING OPERATION. ONE POLICE REMARKED WRITELY TO INFORMANT IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO HAVE CLEAN CITY IF MORE FREQUENT STATE VISITS WERE TO TAKE PLACE.

3. PRESS AND LOUDSPEAKER TRUCKS ARE CALLING FOR POPULACE TO TURN OUT TO GREET CHICOM'S AND SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE TO BE LINED UP EN MASSE.

4. TOUCH-DOWN OF PIA'S NEWLY ACQUIRED TRIDENT IS SET FOR JUST AFTER

FIVE THIS EVENING WITH BANQUET AT GOVERNOR'S HOUSE TONIGHT. TOMORROW DELEGATION VISITS SUCH PLACES AS NEW PUNJAB UNIVERSITY CAMPUS (WITH RECEPTION IN USAID-FINANCED HALL), NATIONAL COLLEGE OF ARTS (MUSLIM RUSSIAN EMIGRE WHO IS A TRUSTEE HAS HASTILY SCHEDULED OUT-OF-TOWN TRIP TO AVOID FUNCTION), AND "HISTORICAL MONUMENTS". TOMORROW EVENING CITIZENS' RECEPTION AT SHALIMAR IS ON SCHEDULE. DEPARTURE 30TH MORNING FOR KARACHI. METCALF

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CHICOM VISIT

1. LAHORE GAVE VISITING CHICOMS TUMULTUOUS WELCOME LAST EVENING WHICH IS DESCRIBED BY LONG-TIME OBSERVERS AS LARGEST

IN CITY'S HISTORY. CROWD FROM CITY WAS REINFORCED BY IMPORTATION VILLAGERS AND BY LINING UP SCHOOL CHILDREN (MANY OF WHOM WAITED FOR FOUR HOURS). IT WAS EVIDENT THAT ENTHUSIASM WAS TO A VERY LARGE DEGREE SPONTANEOUS. ALONG MALL MANY AUTO-MOBILE-BORNE SPECTATORS, COMPLETE WITH WELL DRESSED WOMEN, WERE IN EVIDENCE, AS WELL AS LESS AFFLUENT VILLAGERS AND DWELLERS IN OLD CITY. REPORTEDLY BHUTTO SHARED IN CHEERS GIVEN TO CHICOMS.

2. LIU IN REPLYING TO GOVERNOR'S TOAST AT BANQUET LAST EVENING "SALUTED HEROIC CITY" WHICH HAD "DEALT HEAVY BLOW TO INDIAN AGGRESSION". HE TOASTED IN ORDER AYUB, GOVERNOR, BHUTTO, PEOPLE OF LAHORE AND PAKISTAN. GOVERNOR'S TOAST (TEXT NOT PUBLISHED) REPORTEDLY WAS MADE TO PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY OF CHINESE PEOPLE, EVERLASTING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN CHINA AND

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PAKISTAN, SOLIDARITY OF AFRO-ASIAN PEOPLES, AND WORLD PEACE.
(COMMENT: LIU'S SPEECH WAS MASTERPIECE OF PLAYING ON LAHORE'S FEELINGS.)

3. IN CROWD GREETING CHICOM, ACCORDING TO PRESS, ANTI-AMERICAN SLOGANS WERE CARRIED ON PLACARDS: "CHINA YES, YANKEES NO", "DOWN WITH U.S. IMPERIALISM", "CRUSH AMERICAN-INSPIRED INDIAN AGGRESSION", "DOWN WITH TREACHEROUS FRIENDS", AND

"IF YOU ARE PATRIOTS, HATE AMERICAN IMPERIALISM". (COMMENT: IT IS REMARKABLE HOW STORY THAT US SCHEMOW CONNECTED WITH INDIAN ACTION IN SEPTEMBER HAS PERSISTED IN LAHORE, EVEN AMONG EDUCATED, NORMALLY PRO-WESTERN CIRCLES.)

4. WHILE WAITING ARRIVAL CHICOM'S CROWD WAS ENTERTAINED WITH CHINESE AND PAKISTANI MUSIC OVER LOUDSPEAKERS PLACED ALONG MALL. ACCORDING TO HJSCJSA TIMES SONGS INCLUDED "SOME OF THE MOST POPULAR TARANAS THAT WERE COMPOSED DURING THE SEPTEMBER WAR". (COMMENT: THESE SONGS ARE VIOLENTLY ANTI-INDIAN AND WERE USED TO STIMULATE THE JENAD SENTIMENT DURING THE WAR.)

5. SEPTEL REPORTS SLIGHT DAMAGE TO USIS BUILDING BY YOUNG MEN LAST EVENING. ONLY PRESS REFERENCE TO THIS TODAY APPEARED IN URDU KOHISTAN.

6. COMMENT: MOST STRIKING ASPECT OF VISIT SO FAR TO US IS DEGREE OF ENTHUSIASM IN RECEPTION. IT IS OUR IMPRESSION THAT THIS SENTIMENT WAS GIVEN A GREAT BOOST BY THE WARMLY ACCLAIMED EXHIBITION OF CHICOM ARMS IN PAKISTAN DAY PARADE. THE SPECTACLE OF THIS TANGIBLE HARDWARE HAS BEEN TAKEN TO PROVE CHINA IS "TRUE FRIEND" WHO WILL AID PAKISTAN MATERIALLY AGAINST THE INDIAN ENEMY. CONVERSELY, IN THE PROPAGANDA NOW POURING FORTH

IN THE CONTEXT OF THE CHINESE VISIT, US IS PICTURED AS "FALSE FRIEND" WHO (1) WITHDREW AID TO PAKISTAN IN TIME OF NEED, (2) HAS AIDED INDIAN ENEMY, AND (3) OPPOSES "TRUE FRIEND" CHINA. DISPLAY OF ENTHUSIASM AND PARTICIPATION BY

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UPPER CLASSES AND BUSINESSMEN DOES NOT, OF COURSE, REFLECT
THEIR ENDORSEMENT OF COMMUNISM OR INDEED WHOLEHEARTED ACCEPTANCE
OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS AS PAK ALLY. RATHER IT REVEALS DEPTH
OF FEELING TOWARD ANYONE WHO WILL HELP THEM IN THEIR STRUGGLE
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AL-FEKI 2 MARCH I REFERRED TO RECENT PRESS REPORT OF HOUR'S
MEETING WEEK BEFORE BETWEEN FONHIN RIAD AND NORTH VIETNAMESE
AMBASSADOR AND ASKED WHETHER ANYTHING SIGNIFICANT HAD COME UP.
AL-FEKI SAID THERE NO NEW SUBSTANTIVE DEVELOPMENTS AND FONMIN
MERELY WISHED TO DISCUSS ACCREDITING UARMB IN PEKING TO
HANOI SO UAR WOULD HAVE ACCESS TO TOP OFFICIALS THERE
WHICH NOT PRESENTLY POSSIBLE SINCE THEY ONLY REPRESENTED
BY JUNIOR CHARGE.

AL-FEKI THEN INFORMED ME THAT CHINESE PRESIDENT LIU SHAO-CHI
WOULD VISIT KABUL APRIL 4 AND AFGHANISTAN PLANNED TAKE
ADVANTAGE HIS PRESENCE TO SOUND OUT CHINA AS TO WHETHER
NON-ALIGNED MEETING TO DISCUSS VIETNAM MIGHT BE USEFUL.
MEETING WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE DESIGNED PRODUCE RESOLUTIONS
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LIU SHAO CHI VISIT

1. MARCH 29 PRESS CONTINUED GIVE DOMINANT POSITION TO LIU SHAO CHI VISIT WITH HEADLINES EMPHASIZING HIS WELCOME BY "HEROIC CITY OF LAHORE" WHICH WITHSTOOD INDIAN ATTACK IN SEPTEMBER. PAPERS CLAIM MILLION PEOPLE LINED ROUTE IN EMOTIONAL, SPONTANEOUS WELCOME. ANTI-AMERICAN SLOGANS REPORTED LAHORE'S 813 NOT PUBLISHED. LIU STATEMENT AT BANQUET HOSTED BY WEST PAK GOVERNOR SALUTED PEOPLE OF LAHORE FOR WITHSTANDING INDIAN AGGRESSION, AND DESCRIBED WELCOME AS VIVID EXPRESSION FRATERNAL SENTIMENTS OF PAK PEOPLE FOR CHINESE PEOPLE.

2. PRESS SAID AYUB-LIU TALKS CONCLUDED IN CORDIAL ATMOSPHERE AND THAT BOTH LEADERS SATISFIED WITH OUTCOME IN SHAPE BETTER UNDERSTANDING AND MORE FRIENDLY TIES. PRESS SPECULATED TALKS DEVOTED MAINLY FINDING WAYS OF INSURING INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND ESTABLISHING REGIONAL PEACE ON DURABLE BASIS. VIET NAM ALSO REPORTEDLY DISCUSSED. FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID FORMAL TALKS ENDED MARCH 27 AND JOINT COMMUNIQUE WOULD BE ISSUED KARACHI MARCH 31 UPON LIU'S DEPARTURE. TWO FOREIGN MINISTERS WOULD CONTINUE TALKS IN LAHORE AND KARACHI.

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3. PRESS REPORTED AYUB WOULD MEET LIU IN DACCA APRIL 15 FOR HIS THREE DAY EAST PAK VISIT. ACCORDING PRESS AYUB ANNOUNCED AT CEREMONY PLANTING CHINESE TREE AT CHINESE EMBASSY SITE AT ISLAMABAD MARCH 28 THAT PAK AND CHINESE WOULD BUILD EACH OTHER'S CHANCERIES IN ISLAMABAD AND PEKING AS GESTURE OF GOOD WILL.

4. AZAD KASHMIR PRESIDENT ABDUL HAMID KHAN ISSUED STATEMENT MARCH 28 EXPRESSING GRATITUDE ON BEHALF KASHMIR PEOPLE FOR LIU'S ASSURANCES OF CONTINUED SUPPORT TO KASHMIR. SCATTERED EDITORIALS ALSO THANKS LIU FOR HIS STATEMENT OF SUPPORT. URDU LANGUAGE JANG MADE AMENDMENT ITS PREVIOUS SILENCE MARCH 29 BY EDITORIAL WELCOMING LIU. JANG SAID PAK ESPECIALLY

THOSE WHO BORE BRUNT OF INDIAN ATTACK WOULD NEVER FORGET CHINESE HELP IN HOUR OF NEED. SAID PAK-CHINESE FRIENDSHIP NOW PERMANENT REALITY WHICH NO INTRIGUE OR CHANGE COULD WEAKEN.

5. AS EXAMPLE ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME BY PAK PEOPLE, DAWN PROUDLY REPORTED THAT BYSTANDERS PUSHED AUTOMOBILE CONTAINING MRS LIU AND MRS BHUTTO FOR MORE THAN MILE AFTER BREAKDOWN DURING TRIUMPHANT ENTRANCE TO LAHORE MARCH 28. MCCONAUGHY

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LIU SHAO-CHI AND CHINESE MILITARY AID

1. ALL THE PRESS MEDIA IN EAST WING HAVE GIVEN PROMINENT COVERAGE TO LIU SHAO-CHI BASED FOR MOST PART ON APP RELEASE. PICTURES OF LIU AND BIOGRAPHIES LIU AND CHEN YI CARRIED BY MOST PAPERS.
2. PAIGAM (GOVERNOR'S PAPER) EDITORIAL WELCOMES CHINESE GUESTS. PAKISTAN PEOPLE HAVE PROOF NOW AS RESULT EXHIBITION CHINESE TANK AND MIG'S ON MARCH 23 THAT CHINESE SUPPORT WAS NOT MERELY VERBAL.
3. PRESS TRUST DAINIK PAKISTAN EDITORIAL ON CHINESE MILITARY AID STATES CHINESE TANKS AND PLANES GIVEN TO PAKISTAN IN TIME OF NEED AS SIGN OF CHINA'S SINCERE FRIENDSHIP AND SUPPORT. PAKISTAN HAD SECURITY PACTS WITH SOME COUNTRIES WHO AT TIME OF CRISIS DID NOT COME FORWARD EVEN WITH MORAL SUPPORT. PAKISTAN HAD NO SECURITY PACT WITH CHINA BUT IT WAS CHINA WHO GAVE MORAL AND MATERIAL AID. SOLE DEPENDENCE ON ONE SOURCE FOR MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID IS RISKY AND MUST BE AVOIDED IN FUTURE. BOWLING

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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT TO PAKISTAN

1. PAK EFFORTS AS HOSTS TO CHICOM VISITORS SEEM BE PICKING UP STEAM. MURREE ROAD, WHICH RUNS THROUGH HEART OF CITY, WAS TURNED INTO BANNER AND FLAG BEDECKED ROUTE, WITH SLOGANS FOR AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY MUCH IN EVIDENCE. WITH SOME ENCOURAGEMENT FROM POLICE, SUBSTANTIAL CROWDS TURNED OUT ALONG MURREE ROAD MARCH 28 TO CHEER LIU AS HE TRAVELLED FROM RAWALPINDI TO ISLAMABAD FOR BRIEFING ON CONSTRUCTION OF NEW CAPITAL.

SOME OBSERVERS SAID THEY NOTED AMONG RAWALPINDI SPECTATORS

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MORE EVIDENCE OF CURIOSITY REGARDING CHINESE VISITORS THAN SENSE OF IDENTIFICATION WITH SINO-PAK FRIENDSHIP.

2. LIU COMPLETES HIS RAWALPINDI VISIT THIS AFTERNOON (MARCH 28) WITH LAHORE AS NEXT STOP. INDICATIONS HERE THAT LAHORE WILL GO ALL OUT FOR LIU VISIT.

3. NEWSPAPER COVERAGE CONTINUES EXTENSIVE, FEATURING DETAILED REPORTS OF CEREMONIAL ASPECTS OF VISIT AND MUCH HYPERBOLE ABOUT PAKISTAN'S CHINESE FRIENDS. HOWEVER, AMERICAN REPORTER MADE POINT TO US THAT IN ONE GATHERING WHERE HE WAS NEARBY

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AS OBSERVER AYUB AND LIU WERE OBVIOUSLY HAVING PROBLEMS
KEEPING UP FLOW OF CONVERSATION.

4. NO SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION ON SUBSTANTIVE ASPECTS OF VISIT
YET AVAILABLE. ACCORDING PAK NEWSPAPER SOURCE, LIU'S COMMENTS
ON VIETNAM ACCOUNTED FOR AT LEAST HALF HIS TOASTS DELIVERED
AT STATE DINNER EVENING MAR 27, AND THUS CONSIDERABLY
LONGER THAN TEXT CARRIED IN PRESS FOLLOWING DAY. PAK
MINISTRY INFORMATION REPORTS RELEASE OF JOINT COMMUNIQUE
IS NOW EXPECTED LATE EVENING OF MARCH 28 SIMULTANEOUSLY IN
ISLAMABAD AND PEIPING.

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EUR FOLLOWING ARE TEXTS OF SPEECHES OF GOP PRES AYUB AND
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IO BY AYUB IN HONOR LIU IN ISLAMABAD MARCH 26. (UNNECESSARY
P WORDS OMITTED):

USIA "I AM MOST HAPPY TO WELCOME HIS EXCELLENCY MR. LIU SHAO-CHI,
NSC CHAIRMAN OF PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA, MADAME LIU SHAO-CHI, HIS
INR EXCELLENCY VICE-PREMIER CHEN YI, MADAME CHEN YI AND OTHER
CIA DISTINGUISHED VISITORS FROM PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO
NSA PAKISTAN. THEY HAVE COME ABOUT A YEAR AFTER MY VISIT TO

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CHINA, WHICH WAS TRULY MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE. GREAT
WELCOME ACCORDED ME AND MY PARTY AND GENEROUS HOSPITALITY
EXTENDED TO US WILL ALWAYS BE REMEMBERED BY US. THIS MORNING
OUR PEOPLE HAVE IN THEIR OWN WAY DEMONSTRATED DEPTH
OF THEIR FRIENDLY FEELINGS TOWARDS PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT OF
CHINA AND THEIR ESTEEM FOR OUR HONOURED GUESTS FROM THAT
COUNTRY.

"MR. CHAIRMAN, YOUR VISIT TO PAKISTAN IS EVENT OF
HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE. THIS IS FIRST TIME THAT CHINESE HEAD
OF STATE HAS VISITED PAKISTAN. WE GRATIFIED YOU HAVE HONOURED
US WITH YOUR PRESENCE IN RESPONSE TO INVITATION I EXTENDED YOU
DURING MY VISIT TO CHINA.

"THE YEAR THAT HAS ELAPSED SINCE THAT TIME HAS BEEN CRITICAL ONE.
FOR US IT WAS MARKED BY SHORT BUT HEROIC
STRUGGLE WHEN ARMED FORCES AND PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN WERE CALLED
UPON TO DEFEND THEIR COUNTRY AGAINST AGGRESSION.

"PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN REMEMBER WITH DEEP GRATITUDE THE
SUPPORT THEY RECEIVED FROM GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF
CHINA IN THAT HOUR OF TRIAL.

"THE TIES OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN

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FURTHER REINFORCED AS RESULT OF JUST STAND THAT YOUR GREAT
COUNTRY HAS TAKEN ON QUESTION OF RIGHT OF POPLE OF JAMMU AND
KASHMIR TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND UPHOLDING STRUGGLE OF OUR
PEOPLE TO SAFEGUARD THEIR POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL
INTEGRITY.

"THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND CHINA IS NOT BASED
ON EXPEDIENCY. IT IS BASED RATHER ON COMMON DESIRE OF PEOPLES
OF REGION. POLICIES OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS ARE BASED ON
PRINCIPLES. AMONG THESE PRINCIPLES IS BELIEF IN RIGHT
OF PEOPLES TO SELF-DETERMINATION. BOTH COUNTRIES CONSIDER IT IS
OF FUNDAMENTAL IMPORTANCE THAT FRIENDLY TIES SHOULD BE
DEVELOPED WITH ALL COUNTRIES AND ESPECIALLY WITH NEIGHBOURS.
SUCH A RELATIONSHIP IS POSSIBLE ONLY ON BASIS OF EQUALITY AND
MUTUAL RESPECT FOR SOVEREIGNTY, INDEPENDENCE AND TERRITORIAL
INTEGRITY OF STATES.

"IT IS IN THIS PERSPECTIVE THAT TASHKENT DECLARATION
MUST BE VIEWED. TASHKENT DECLARATION IS

DECLARATION OF INTENT. IT PROVIDES FRAMEWORK AND
PROCEDURE FOR SETTLING OUTSTANDING DISPUTES BETWEEN INDIA AND
PAKISTAN, AND, IN PARTICULAR, JAMMU AND KASHMIR DISPUTE,

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WHICH WAS CAUSE OF RECENT CONFLICT BETWEEN TWO
COUNTRIES. SIGNIFICANCE OF DECLARATION WILL BE DETERMINED BY
EXTENT TO WHICH ITS PROVISIONS ARE IMPLEMENTED IN FINDING JUST
AND HONOURABLE SETTLEMENT OF THIS DISPUTE.

"WHAT WE DID IN TASHKENT DOES NOT DEROGATE IN SLIGHTEST
FROM OUR COMMITMENT TO PEOPLE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR. NOR HAS
DECLARATION WEAKENED OUR RESOLVE TO DEFEND OUR INDEPENDENCE
AND SOVEREIGNTY OR TO PURSUE A POLICY GUIDED BY INTERESTS
OF OUR COUNTRY.

"MR. CHAIRMAN, APART FROM BONDS RESULTING FROM
GEOGRAPHICAL CONTIGUITY AND HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL TRADITIONS,

OUR COUNTRIES SHARE COMMON PROBLEMS ARISING OUT OF FOREIGN
EXPLOITATION AND LEGACY OF COLONIAL RULE. OUR PEOPLES ARE
ENGAGED, IN THEIR RESPECTIVE WAYS IN GREAT EFFORT TO DEVELOPING
THEIR RESOURCES SO THEY CAN RAISE THEIR STANDARD OF
LIVING. I WAS PARTICULARLY IMPRESSED DURING MY VISIT TO YOUR
COUNTRY BY REMARKABLE PROGRESS ACHIEVED BY GIFTED AND
INDUSTRIOUS PEOPLE OF CHINA ON BASIS OF SELF-RELIANCE. APART
FROM SEEING SOME OF OUR HISTORICAL TREASURES, I HOPE YOUR
EXCELLENCY WOULD ALSO SEE SOME OF OUR EFFORTS IN BUILDING UP

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OUR COUNTRY.

"YOUR EXCELLENCYS VISIT WILL ENABLE A FRIENDLY EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON MATTERS OF MUTUAL CONCERN TO OUR COUNTRIES AND WOULD, I AM SURE, STRENGTHEN THE FRIENDSHIP THAT ALREADY EXISTS BETWEEN US.

"IN CONCLUSION, I MUST REITERATE ON THIS OCCASION FIRM BELIEF OF MY GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN THAT IN ORDER TO REDUCE WORLD TENSIONS AND ATTAIN DURABLE PEACE IN WORLD, PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA MUST BE ACCORDED ITS RIGHTFUL PLACE IN COMITY OF NATIONS. IT IS INCONCEIVABLE THAT 650 MILLION PEOPLE SHOULD BE PREVENTED FROM PURSUING BENEFICIAL INTERCOURSE WITH THE REST OF MANKIND, AND WORLD DENIED OF INDISPENSABLE CONTRIBUTION THAT THEY CAN MAKE TO CAUSE OF PEACE AND JUST SOLUTIONS TO GREAT PROBLEMS WHICH CONFRONT MANKIND.

"I NOW PROPOSE A TOAST TO HEALTH AND LONG LIFE OF HIS EXCELLENCY CHAIRMAN MAO TSE-TUNG, HIS EXCELLENCY CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI, MADAME LIU SHAO-CHI, VICE-PREMIER CHEN YI, MADAME CHEN YI AND ALL DISTINGUISHED GUESTS FROM PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA.
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"TO PROSPERITY AND PROGRESS OF GREAT PEOPLE OF

CHINA, TO LASTING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND CHINA, TO
AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY AND TO WORLD PEACE."

CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHIS SPEECH:

"YOUR EXCELLENCY RESPECTED PRESIDENT MOHAMMED AYUB KHAN,
DEAR FRIENDS, THIS IS MY FIRST VISIT TO YOUR COUNTRY. UPON OUR
ARRIVAL IN RAWALPINDI WE WERE ACCORDED ROUSING WELCOME BY YOU
AND BY THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE AND THIS EVENING
PRESIDENT IS HOLDING THIS GRAND BANQUET FOR US.

"WE OVERWHELMED BY MAGNIFICENT RECEPTION AND ENTHUSIASTIC
WELCOME. I WOULD LIKE TAKE OPPORTUNITY EXPRESS HEARTY THANKS
TO., HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT AND CONVEY CORDIAL
GREETINGS AND HIGH RESPECTS OF CHINESE PEOPLE TO FRATERNAL
PAKISTAN PEOPLE.

"WE VERY GLAD SEE IN RECENT YEARS FRIENDLY RELATIONS BE-
TWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES HAVE MADE GREAT PROGRESS. WE HAVE
SMOOTHLY SETTLED BOUNDARY QUESTION LEFT OVER BY HISTORY AND
STEADILY STRENGTHENED OUR FRIENDLY CO-OPERATION IN ALL FIELDS.
"WE HAVE GIVEN EACH OTHER SYMPATHY AND SUPPORT IN STRUGGLE
AGAINST IMPERIALISM ANE EXPANSIONISM AND IN DEFENCE OF NATIONAL
INDEPENDENCE AND WORLD PEACE. LAST YEAR, WHEN PAKISTAN SUB-
JECTED TO INDIAS ARMED ATTACKS, ITS GOVERNMENT, PEOPLE AND ARMY
PUT UP HEROIC RESISTANCE AND DEALT HEAVY BLOW AT THE AG-
GRESSORS.

"CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE FIRMLY SUPPORTED PAKISTAN
IN ITS RIGHTEOUS FIGHT AGAINST AGGRESSION. RECENTLY WHEN IM-
PERIALISTS AND THEIR COLLABORATORS WERE VILIFYING CHINA WITH-
OUT SCRUPLE AND ATTEMPTING FORM RING OF ENCIRCLEMENT AGAINST
CHINA, PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT STERNLY REFUTES NONSENSE ABOUT
CHINAS THREAT TO SUB-CONTINENT, THUS EXPRESSING FIRM WILL OF

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PAKISTAN PEOPLE TO MAINTAIN FRIENDSHIP WITH CHINESE PEOPLE

"FACTS SHOW THAT DESPITE DIFFERENT POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS OUR TWO COUNTRIES, IS ENTIRELY POSSIBLE FOR US DEVELOP OUR FRIENDLY RELATIONS ON BASIS OF FIVE PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE. THESE RELATIONS ARE IN FUNDAMENTAL INTERESTS OUR TWO PEOPLES. WE FIRMLY OPPOSE AGGRESSORS. WE SUPPORT ALL PEOPLES WHO FIGHT AGAINST AGGRESSION.

"WE DETERMINED TO SUPPORT AND ASSIST THEIR STRUGGLE TO BEST OUR CAPABILITY. PAKISTAN PEOPLE CAN REST ASSURED THAT,

WHEN PAKISTAN RESOLUTELY FIGHTS AGAINST FOREIGN AGGRESSION IN DEFENCE ITS NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY, THE 650 MILLION CHINESE PEOPLE WILL STAND ON THEIR SIDE AND GIVE THEM RESOLUTE SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE.

"WE HAVE ALWAYS HELD THAT KASHMIR DISPUTE SHOULD BE SETTLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH WISHES KASHMIRI PEOPLE. ANY ATTEMPT DEPRIVE KASHMIRI PEOPLE THEIR RIGHT SELF-DETERMINATION OR BURY KASHMIR QUESTION WILL NEITHER BE COUNTENANCED BY KASHMIRI PEOPLE NOR BY PAKISTAN PEOPLE.

"PRESIDENT AYUB KHAN HAS OF LATE REPEATEDLY STATED THAT PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT WILL NOT CHANGE ITS POSITION ON THE

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KASHMIR QUESTION AND WILL CONTINUE SUPPORT KASHMIRI PEOPLE IN THEIR STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM. CHINESE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE FIRMLY SUPPORT RIGHTEOUS STAND OF PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT AND JUST STRUGGLE OF KASHMIRI PEOPLE FOR THEIR RIGHT SELF-DETERMINATION.

"PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION PRESENTS VERY COMPLICATED PICTURE. IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM AND NEO COLONIALISM ARE ENGAGED IN SABOTAGE AND TROUBLE MAKING EVERY WHERE. THEY HAVE INCESSANTLY CARRIED ON SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES AND ENGINEERED REACTIONARY COUPS DETAT IN AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRIES.

"THEY THOUGHT BY FOLLOWING THIS RECKLESS COURSE THEY COULD FRUSTRATE THE AFRO-ASIAN PEOPLES IN THEIR UNITED REVOLUTIONARY STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM. HOWEVER, WHAT THEY HAVE BEEN DOING ARE ACTS IN DESPERATION WHICH SHOW THEIR WEAKNESS.

"A MOST ELOQUENT CASE IN POINT IS US AGGRESSION AGAINST VIET NAM. IN THIS WAR OF AGGRESSION AND RESISTANCE TO AGGRESSION, TRULY POWERFUL ARE VIET NAMESE PEOPLE WHO ADHERE TO THEIR JUST STAND, AND NOT US AGGRESSORS WHO ONLY LOOK STRONG. IT FORE GONE CONCLUSION THAT US IMPERIALISM BOUND FAIL AND VIET NAM BOUND WIN.

"STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM CONSTITUTES

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MAINSTREAM IN CONTEMPORARY WORLD POLITICS. NO MATTER HOW
COMPLICATED SITUATION MAY BE MAIN STREAM AND ITS DIRECTION ARE
CLEAR. WHEELS OF HISTORY WILL ONLY MOVE FORWARD AND CANNOT BE
TURNED BACK. FRANTIC COUNTER ATTACKS BY IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM
AND NEO-COLONIALISM WILL INEVITABLY MEET WITH SPEEDIER AND MORE
DISASTROUS DEFEATS INFLICTED BY AWAKENED AND UNITED AFRO-

ASIAN PEOPLES.

"WE CONVINCED THAT AFRO-ASIAN PEOPLES WILL SURELY WIN
FINAL VICTORY IN THEIR STRUGGLES IN DEFENCE OF NATIONAL INDE-
PENDENCE AGAINST AGGRESSION.

"YOUR EXCELLENCY, RESPECTED PRESIDENT, AS FRIENDLY
NEIGHBOUR, WE ARE GLAD TO SEE THAT PAKISTAN, UNDER YOUR LEADER-
SHIP, HAS PURSUED AN INDEPENDENT POLICY AND ENABLED
CONSTANT PROGRESS IN POLICY AND ENABLED CONSTANT PROGRESS IN
FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES.(SIC).

"LAST SPRING, WE HAD PLEASURE RECEIVING YOUR EXCELLENCY
WHEN YOU PAID VISIT TO CHINA. I HOPE OUR PRESENT VISIT LIKE
YOUR VISIT TO CHINA, WILL CONTRIBUTE TO FURTHER STRENGTHENING
OF FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES.

"I PROPOSE A TOAST TO THE PROSPERITY OF ISLAMIC REPUBLIC
OF PAKISTAN AND WELL BEING OF ITS PEOPLE, TO FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN
THE CHINESE AND PAKISTAN PEOPLES, TO AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY
AND WORLD PEACE, TO HEALTH OF PRESIDENT MOHAMMAD AYUB KHAN,
AND TO HEALTH OF ALL OUR FRIENDS PRESENT HERE."

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1. LIU SHAO CHI VISIT

LIU SHAO CHI VISIT TOP STORY KARACHI PRESS MARCH 26, 27, 28,
FORCING OTHER NEWS TO INSIDE PAGES. NUMEROUS ITEMS, PICTURES,
ALSO CARRIED OVER TO OTHER PAGES GIVING EXTENSIVE COVERAGE
ALL ASPECTS OF VISIT WITH EXCEPTION DETAILS OF PAK-CHICOM
TALKS. HEADLINES MAR 26 WELCOMED CHICOMS, PREDICTED UNPRE-
CEDENTED RESPONSE FROM HEARTS PAK PEOPLE. MAR 27 HEADLINES
PROCLAIMED LIU'S BANQUET STATEMENT THAT CHINA WILL ALWAYS

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HELP PAK REPEL AGGRESSION. SECOND LEAD EMPHASIZED LIU BACKING
FOR KASHMIRI RIGHT SELF-DETERMINATION. LESS EMPHASIS PLACED
ON AYUB'S GRATITUDE FOR CHICOM AID DURING WAR AND HIS ASSURANCES
PAK FRIENDSHIP FOR CHICOM NOT BASED ON EXPEDIENCY. MARCH
28 PRESS HEADLINED LIU REITERATION SUPPORT ON KASHMIR,
AND PREDICTION KASHMIRI'S WILL SUCCEED, WHICH CONTAINED IN
HIS MESSAGE TO KASHMIR PEOPLE DELIVERED IN REPLY EXPRESSION
OF THANKS FOR CHICOM SUPPORT PRESENTED TO LIU BY FOUR MAN
KASHMIR DELEGATION.

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2. MAR 27 PRESS REPORTED LIU-AYUB TALKS COVERED PRINCIPAL THREATS TO WORLD PEACE, ESPECIALLY THOSE IN THIS REGION. IN CAUTIOUS STATEMENT, FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID PRESENT STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION TASHKENT DECLARATION REVIEWED, PARTICULARLY IN RELATION URGENT NEED FOR JUST SETTLEMENT ON BASIS SELF-DETERMINATION. HE SAID TALKS CONCENTRATED MAINLY ON CAUSES OF TENSION IN INTERNATIONAL SCENE, LIKELY COURSE FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS AND STEPS NECESSARY RESOLVE CONFLICTS AND MAINTAIN PEACE. MAR 28 PRESS REPORTED CONTINUATION OF TALKS ON SUBJECTS BUT IN GREATER DETAIL. SPOKESMAN SAID MAIN SUBJECT WAS QUESTION HOW CHINA AND PAKS COULD ASSIST IN PROMOTION OF WORLD PEACE AND ESPECIALLY HOW PEACE COULD BE MAINTAINED THIS REGION. PRESS SPECULATED THAT MOST IMPORTANT THREATS

IN THIS REGION WERE KASHMIR AND VIETNAM BUT PONOFF SPOKESMAN REFUSED CONFIRMATION AND ADVISED PRESS TO WAIT JOINT COMMUNIQUE.

3. PAK PRESS WITH NOTABLE EXCEPTION LARGE CIRCULATION URDU LANGUAGE JANG WELCOMED CHICOM'S IN EDITORIALS MAR 26. MAIN THEME WAS THAT CHICOM'S CAME TO PAK AID DURING SEPTEMBER WAR OF SURVIVAL WHEN OTHER ALLIES SAT ON FENCE. CHICOM'S THREW WEIGHT ON SIDE OF JUSTICE AND WERE POSITIVE FACTOR IN CONTAINING AGGRESSION AND RESTORING PEACE TO SUB-CONTINENT. CHICOM'S THEREBY PROVED THEY WILLING UP-HOLD CAUSE OF FREEDOM AND STAND BY SMALLER NATIONS. SOME PAPERS NOTED CHICOM'S ROSE ABOVE IDEOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES WITH PAK TO SUPPORT CAUSE OF FREEDOM. ALL PRESS SAID PAK WOULD NEVER FORGET CHICOM AID AND HOPED VISIT WOULD FURTHER CEMENT PAK-CHICOM RELATIONS. MOST PAPERS SAW PAK-CHICOM COOPERATION IN INTEREST STRENGTHENING SPIRIT OF UNDERSTANDING AND WORLD PEACE. SEVERAL SAID WEST COULD NOT CONTINUE IGNORE POWERFUL CHINA REPRESENTING 1/5 OF MANKIND. EMPHASIZED PAK WELCOME FOR CHICOM'S CAME FROM HEARTS OF PEOPLE, NOT JUST CEREMONIAL.

4. MOST PAPERS PRINTED NO RELEVANT EDITORIALS AFTER INITIAL WELCOME. MAR 27 EDITIONS OF ANJAM, HURRIYAT AND MILLAT WERE EXCEPTIONS. THEY EXPRESSED GRATITUDE FOR LIU SUPPORT FOR KASHMIR AND HIS PROMISE SUPPORT PAKS AGAINST FURTHER

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AGGRESSION. DAWN COMMENTED INDIRECTLY IN MAR 27 EDITORIAL BLAMING INDIA FOR NOT FOLLOWING THROUGH ON TASHKENT SPIRIT BY CLAIMING INDIA EXAGGERATING PAK-CHICOM TIES AND MISREPRESENTING THEM AS OMINOUS FOR FUTURE. MOST PAPERS CARRYING PRO-PAGANDA-TYPE ARTICLES ON VARIOUS ASPECTS CHINESE LIFE, BUT PAK TIMES OF LAHORE ONLY ONE TO ISSUE CHINESE SUPPLEMENT.

COMMENT: CHICOM VISIT DOMINATING PRESS WITH LIU HIMSELF PROVIDING HEADLINES BY STATEMENTS SUPPORTING PAKS ESPECIALLY PAK CAUSE IN KASHMIR. IN CONTRAST USUAL PRESS TREATMENT, LIU STATEMENTS OVERSHADOWING AYUB'S.

PRESS PRINTED LIU'S PREDICTION IN BANQUET SPEECH THAT VIETNAMESE WOULD WIN OVER US IMPERIALISM AS PART OF TEXT BUT IGNORED IT OTHERWISE. MCCONAUGHY

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1. LIU SHAO-CHO, CHAIRMAN OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC, ARRIVED IN RAWALPINDI AT 1000 HOURS SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 26, ON FIRST LAP HIS STATE VISIT TO PAKISTAN. LIU WAS ACCOMPANIED BY FOREIGN MINISTER CHEN YI; VICE MINISTER OF PUBLIC SECURITY, WANG TUNG-HSING; VICE-MINISTER OF COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES, WANG TAO-HAN; AND OTHER OFFICIALS. AT AIRPORT HE WAS GREETED BY PRESIDENT AYUB, A 21-GUN SALUTE, MILITARY BANDS, AND ORGANIZED AND

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ENTHUSIASTIC CROWDS. THERE WERE NO SPEECHES. ACCOMPANIED BY AYUB, LIU PROCEEDED ON SIX-MILE TOUR THROUGH RAWALPINDI TO PRESIDENT'S HOUSE, WHERE HE HAD LUNCH.

2. CROWDS LINING PROCESSION ROUTE WERE LARGEST SEEN BY EMBASSY OBSERVERS FOR ANY FOREIGN VISIT DURING LAST THREE YEARS. BOLSTERED BY GROUPS TRUCKED TO PINDI FROM NEARBY VILLAGES, TURNOUT MIGHT HAVE BEEN EVEN LARGER BUT FOR RAIN WHICH FELL DURING MUCH OF THE MORNING. PROCESSION ROUTE WAS LINED WITH MILITARY GUARDS ARMED WITH RIFLES AND FIXED BAYONETS, POSTED AS CLOSE AS TEN FEET APART IN DOWNTOWN AREA. PROCESSION SHORT, UNIMPRESSIVE AND MOVING RELATIVELY QUICKLY, WAS APPARENTLY SOMETHING OF ANTI-CLIMAX BUT WAS RECEIVED WITH MODERATE APPLAUSE BY SPECTATORS IN DOWNTOWN AREA.

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3. ALL LOCAL PAPERS MARCH 26 COMMENTED EXTENSIVELY ON VISIT, WITH EDITORIALS, SOME COLOR PICTURES, AND SPECIAL SECTIONS ON CHINA. COMMON EDITORIAL HERE WAS ADULATION OF "GREAT AND GENEROUS CHINESE NATION" WHICH CAME TO PAKISTAN'S AID AGAINST INDIAN AGGRESSOR, IN CONTRAST TO ACTION OF OTHERS.

4. LIU SHAO-CHI'S SIX DAYS IN WEST PAKISTAN WILL TAKE HIM FROM RAWALPINDI TO LAHORE ON MARCH 28 AND KARACHI ON MARCH 30. HIS PINDI SCHEDULE HIGHLIGHTED BY TWO SUBSTANTIVE MEETINGS WITH AYUB ON MARCH 26, AND EXCHANGE OF DINNERS WITH

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AYUB AT PAKISTAN HOUSE ON MARCH 26 AND 27, PLUS VISITS TO TAXILA AND ISLAMABAD. LIU WILL DEPART KARACHI MARCH 31 AND, AFTER TWO WEEK GAP, WILL COMPLETE STATE VISIT WITH THREE-DAY VISIT TO EAST PAKISTAN APRIL 15-17.

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IN CONVERSATION AT SOCIAL OCCASION MARCH 25 YUGO
AMBASSADOR PETRIC TOLD ME FOLLOWING:

1. RANKOVIC WILL LEAD YUGO DELEGATION TO SOVIET PARTY
CONGRESS. HE ASSERTED ROMANIAN DELEGATION COMPOSED OF
CEAUSESCU, MAURER, DRAGHICI AND NICULESCU-MIZIL WILL DEPART
MONDAY MARCH 28.

2. TITO'S VISIT TO ROMANIA NOW SET BEGIN APRIL 18 LAST
FOUR DAYS. BILATERAL PROBLEMS NON EXISTENT AND HENCE VISIT
WILL BE LARGELY CEREMONIAL, SOME TRAVEL IN COUNTRY AND ANY

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DISCUSSIONS WILL CENTER ON INTERNATIONAL ISSUES PARTICULARLY
SINO-SOVIET DISPUTE ON WHICH "WE HAVE DIFFERENCES OF VIEWS."

3. AS REGARDS POSSIBLE CHOU EN-LAI VISIT ROMANIA HE BELIEVED
IT MIGHT TAKE PLACE IN MAY THOUGH HE ASSERTED FINAL
ACCEPTANCE ROMANIAN INVITATION BY CHINESE NOT YET GIVEN.

COMMENT: EMBASSY HAS INFO FROM ROMANIAN AND SOVIET SOURCES
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CONVERSATION WITH PRESIDENT AYUB RE CHICOM VISIT

1. I SAW PRESIDENT AYUB IN PINDI 70 MINUTES MARCH 24 TO DISCUSS CHICOM VISIT.

2. I EXPRESSED REGRET AT UNFORTUNATE ASPECTS UPCOMING CHICOM VISIT, COMING AS IT DID AT TIME OF WIDESPREAD INTERNATIONAL

BADGERING BY CHICOMS, AND DURING PERIOD OF INDIRA GANDHI VISIT TO U.S. I EXPRESSED EARNEST HOPE THAT NOTHING WOULD TRANSPIRE IN COURSE OF PAK VISIT WHICH WOULD EMBOLDEN CHICOMS TO FOLLOW A MORE PROVOCATIVE COURSE. I NOTED IT WOULD BE EXTREMELY UNFORTUNATE IF ANYTHING GREW OUT OF VISIT HERE

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WHICH CHICOMS COULD EXPLOIT FROM DIPLOMATIC OR PROPAGANDA STANDPOINT. I OBSERVED THAT IN VIEW OF NUMEROUS SETBACKS SUFFERED BY CHICOMS IN LAST NINE MONTHS, EXTENDING FROM ALGERIA TO INDONESIA, IT WOULD BE HIGHLY REGRETTABLE IF PAKS SHOULD EVEN UNWITTINGLY BECOME FACTOR IN SOME CHICOM EFFORT TO RECoup LOST PRESTIGE. I POINTED OUT PUBLIC DISAPPOINTMENT IN US THAT PAKS HAD FOUND IT NECESSARY TO AGREE TO VISIT AT TIME WHEN CHICOMS WERE MAKING SO MUCH TROUBLE AND WHEN UNFORTUNATE INTERPRETATIONS COULD READILY BE PLACED ON THE VISIT. I INVITED PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS ON WHETHER TIMING OF VISIT TO COINCIDE WITH INDIRA GANDHI'S TALKS WITH WASHINGTON WAS ACCIDENTAL.

3. PRESIDENT STATED WITH VIGOR THAT VISIT HAD BEEN LAID ON LAST DECEMBER AS REPAYMENT OF AYUB'S 1965 VISIT TO PEIPING. THIS WAS LONG BEFORE PAKS HAD ANY EXACT IDEA AS TO WHEN INDIAN SUMMIT VISIT TO WASHINGTON WOULD COME OFF. HE SAID WITH SOME WARMTH THAT HE WAS NOT SO FOOLISH AS TO WANT TO PLAY INTO INDIAN HANDS. HE KNEW INDIANS WOULD ENDEAVOR MISREPRESENT VISIT AND HE WOULD HAVE CHANGED THE DATE IF HE COULD HAVE DONE SO APPROPRIATELY. BUT CHICOM LEADERS HAD SCHEDULED SEVERAL VISITS THIS SPRING, INCLUDING AFGHANISTAN AND NEPAL. AND COULD NOT READILY RESHUFFLE SCHEDULE. PRESIDENT ASSURED ME THAT HE WOULD NOT PERMIT VISIT TO BE USED BY CHICOMS IN

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ANY WAY WHICH WOULD HURT OUR CAUSE OR EMBARRASS US. HE RECALLED HIS FIRM STAND AGAINST OBJECTIONABLE STATEMENTS WHICH CHICOMS HAD TRIED TO EMPLOY IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE PEIPING LAST YEAR AND SAID HE WOULD BE EQUALLY FIRM THIS YEAR. HE COULD NOT CONTROL WHAT CHICOMS MIGHT SAY UNILATERALLY AFTER THEY LEFT PAKISTAN, BUT HE WOULD NOT ALLOW PAKISTAN VISIT TO BECOME PLATFORM FOR HURTFUL ACTIONS OR STATEMENTS BY CHICOMS. HE DID NOT THINK CHICOMS WOULD TRY ANYTHING OF THAT SORT BUT PJ WOULD BE ON THE ALERT.

4 I TOLD PRESIDENT WE HOPED PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN WOULD NOT GO OFF DEEP END IN EXPRESSIONS OF ENTHUSIASM FOR CHICOM LEADERS AT TIME WHEN THEY ARE SEEKING TO FOMENT SO MUCH TROUBLE IN SOUTHEAST ASIA AND AROUND THE WORLD. WE KNEW THAT DICTIES OF INTERNATIONAL USAGE AND PAK TRADITIONS WOULD CALL FOR COURTEOUS AND ATTENTIVE TREATMENT AND I KNEW THAT GRATITUDE GENERALLY FELT IN PAKISTAN FOR CHICOM GESTURES OF SUPPORT TO PAKISTAN DURING WAR WITH INDIA WOULD MAKE INEVITABLE A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF PUBLIC ACCLAIM. BUT WE HOPED THAT THE ACCOLADES WOULD NOT BE SO EXTREME AS TO CREATE AN UNWARRANTED IMPRESSION OF PAK SUPPORT FOR CHICOM POLICIES.

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5. PRESIDENT SAID GUESTS WOULD BE GIVEN THE FULL TREATMENT AS HONORED STATE GUESTS AND IT WAS A FACT THAT A CONSIDERABLE DEGREE OF PUBLIC ENTHUSIASM AND EXPRESSION OF GRATITUDE MUST

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BE ANTICIPATED. HE SAID, "AFTER ALL, THEY CAME TO OUR AID WITH UNCONDITIONAL OFFERS OF ASSISTANCE WHEN OUR NATIONAL EXISTENCE WAS AT STAKE. THAT OUR PEOPLE CANNOT FORGET."

6. I TOLD THE PRESIDENT IT WAS OUR HOPE THAT HE WOULD MAKE A FULL EFFORT TO PUT SOME SENSE OF MODERATION AND CAUTION INTO THE CHICOMS IN REFERENCE TO THE STRUGGLE IN VIETNAM. CHICOMS UNDOUBTEDLY EXERTING CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE ON NORTH VIETNAMESE AND COULD DO MUCH TO INDUCE NORTH VIETNAMESE TO TO COME TO CONFERENCE TABLE ON VIETNAM WITHOUT PRECONDITIONS.

WE FELT THAT PRESIDENT AYUB PERHAPS IN BEST POSITION OF ANY FREE WORLD LEADER TO TALK BLUNTLY AND EFFECTIVELY TO CHICOMS ABOUT IMPERATIVES AND DANGERS OF PRESENT SITUATION. CHICOMS MIGHT BE INCLINED TO HEED AN URGENT ADMONITION COMING FROM PRESIDENT AYUB. GOP, ALONG WITH US, HAS VITAL STAKE IN COURSE TAKEN AT THIS JUNCTURE. HE WAS IN POSITION TO MAKE CHICOMS KEENLY AWARE OF PENALTIES THAT WOULD COME FROM RECKLESS DEEPER INVOLVEMENT AND HE COULD MAKE IT CLEAR THAT PAKISTAN WOULD NOT BE INDIFFERENT TO ANY CHICOM COMMITMENT TO A COURSE OF IRRESPONSIBILITY.

7. PRESIDENT SAID IT WAS HIS INTENTION TO MAKE A MAJOR REPRESENTATION TO CHICOMS COUNSELING RESTRAINT, CONCILIATION AND PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT THROUGH UNCONDITIONAL NEGOTIATIONS.

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HE PROMISED THAT HE WOULD USE HIS VERY BEST EFFORTS TOWARD THESE ENDS. HE AGREED ON THE IMPERATIVE NECESSITY OF FINDING A SOLUTION ALONG THESE LINES, BUT HE DISAGREED WITH MY ASSESSMENT OF THE DANGER OF PROVOCATIVE COURSE BEING ADOPTED BY THE CHICOMS. HE SAID THE RECORD SHOWS THAT THE CHICOM LEADERS ARE CAUTIOUS PEOPLE WHEN A SHOWDOWN IS NEAR. THEY DO NOT WANT TO BECOME INVOLVED IN A MAJOR CONFLICT AND HE BELIEVES THAT THEY INTEND TO PURSUE METHODS OTHER THAN OUTRIGHT MILITARY AGGRESSION TO ACHIEVE THEIR OBJECTIVES. HE SAID HE WOULD NOT TRY TO PREDICT BEYOND A DECADE, BUT FOR THE NEXT DECADE HE DID NOT BELIEVE THE CHICOMS INTENDED TO ATTEMPT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA,

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OR IN INDIA, A CONQUEST BY ARMED FORCE. HE SAID THAT AS A PART OF HIS MAJOR REPRESENTATIONS TO THE CHICOMS, HE WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO STATE CATEGORICALLY THE LIMITS ON US MILITARY INTENTIONS. HE THOUGHT THE CHICOMS WERE GENUINELY MISTRUSTFUL OF US MILITARY INTENTIONS AND THAT THEIR BONA FIDE FEARS NEEDED TO BE ALLAYED. HE KNEW, OF COURSE, THAT OUR MILITARY POSTURE WAS A RESPONSIBLE ONE BUT HE WANTED TO BE ABLE TO QUOTE THE US REPRESENTATIVES DIRECTLY. MCCONAUGHY

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8. I TOLD HIM HE COULD REAFFIRM CATEGORICALLY WHAT HAS BEEN STATED BY US LEADERS REPEATEDLY:-- THAT WE SEEK NO WIDER WAR AND THAT OUR DESIRE IS TO END THE HOSTILITIES AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE MOMENT BY UNCONDITIONAL NEGOTIATIONS, LOOKING TO A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT WHICH WILL RESPECT THE WISHES OF THE PEOPLE. WE HAD NO INTENTION OR DESIRE TO ENLARGE THE AREA OR THE NATURE OF THE CONFLICT AND THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS NEED HAVE NO FEARS ON THIS SCORE UNLESS THE COMMUNISTS THEMSELVES SHOULD INITIATE SOME FLAGRANT NEW AGGRESSION.

9. THE PRESIDENT SAID HE WOULD USE THIS STATEMENT IN HIS REPRESENTATIONS TO THE CHICOMS AND EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT HE COULD INSTILL A MORE REASONABLE ATTITUDE IN THEM. HE ASKED ME SOME FACTUAL QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SERIES OF TALKS WITH

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THE CHICOMS AT WARSAW, VICE PRESIDENT HUMPHREY'S RECENT STATEMENTS ON CONTACTS WITH COMMUNIST CHINA, AND USG MOVES LOOKING TO THE POSSIBILITY OF VISITS BY CORRESPONDENTS, DOCTORS, SCIENTISTS, AND SCHOLARS TO MAINLAND CHINA. I GAVE HIM SOME BACKGROUND INFORMATION, AND NOTED THE DIFFICULTIES WE HAVE HAD IN NEGOTIATING AND IMPLEMENTING ANY SORT OF ARRANGEMENT WITH THE CHICOMS.

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10. PRESIDENT SAID HE THOUGHT HE HAD A CLEAR PICTURE OF THE DIFFICULTIES. HE PROMISED HE WOULD USE HIS BEST EFFORTS AND THAT HE WOULD COMMUNICATE WITH US ON THE OUTCOME OF THE TALKS.

11. REMAINDER OF CONVERSATION DEALING WITH INDIA COVERED IN SEPTTEL.

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DURING CALL ON NEW GOPP INFORMATION SECRETARY I INQUIRED INTO LAHORE PROGRAM FOR CHINESE VISITORS. HE SAID THEY WOULD ARRIVE LAHORE AFTERNOON OF MARCH 28 AND BE ENTERTAINED THAT EVENING AT BANQUET AT GOVERNOR'S HOUSE. NEXT DAY WILL INCLUDE CITIZENS' RECEPTION AT SHALIMAR GARDENS AND CULTURAL SHOW IN EVENING. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION, INFO SEC SAID GOPP WAS NOT PLANNING TO INVITE ME TO ANY OF THESE FUNCTIONS IN VIEW US NONRECOGNITION OF PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC. METCALF UNQUOTE MCCONAUGHY
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1. JSP MARCH 25

FILED FORMAL APPLICATION WITH JUSTICE MINISTRY
 ON BEHALF EIGHT MAN CHICOM DELEGATION
 INVITED BY JSP TO VISIT JAPAN. APPLICATION STATED PURPOSE
 OF VISIT WAS "TO PROMOTE FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN CHINESE
 PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND JSP AND TO DISCUSS
 VARIOUS PROBLEMS OF MUTUAL INTEREST". APRIL 10-30 SPECIFIED
 AS PERIOD OF VISIT.

2. SINCE GOJ HAD INFORMALLY TAKEN ATTITUDE THAT ENTRY
 WOULD BE REFUSED IF VISIT WAS "POLITICAL", JSP TOOK PAINS IN
 SUBMITTING APPLICATION TO ATTACH STATEMENT GUARANTEEING
 THAT MISSION WOULD REFRAIN FROM POLITICAL SPEECHES AND ACTS
 DURING STAY. JSP ASSERTED, HOWEVER, IT DID NOT REGARD
 JSP-CHICOM DISCUSSIONS ON FOREIGN RELATIONS AS CONSTITUTING
 "INTERVENTION IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS". CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY
 HASHIMOTO IN PRESS CONFERENCE MARCH 24 REJECTED THIS

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1. IN PAST WEEK PRESS HAS STEPPED UP ITS REPORTING ON FORTHCOMING VISIT OF CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI. BULK OF PRESS PLAY DEVOTED TO ANNOUNCEMENTS OF PREPARATIONS BEING MADE BY COMMUNITIES WHICH WILL HOST LIU. VARIOUS GOVT OFFICIALS IN AZAD KASHMIR, KARACHI, LAHORE, AND PINDI, AS WELL AS OFFICIALS OF TRADE UNIONS AND NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY ALL HAVE APPEARED TO PUBLIC TO GIVE HEARTY WELCOME TO LIU AS TOKEN OF THANKS FOR CPR'S SUPPORT DURING RECENT PAK-INDIAN WAR.

2. LOCAL PUBLICITY HAS BEEN ABBETTED BY OPENING AT KARACHI CHICOM TRADE EXHIBIT ON 16 MAR AND DISPLAY OF CHICOM GEAR IN PAKISTAN DAY PARADE IN PINDI ON MAR 25. ENGLISH PRESS HAS GIVEN EXTENSIVE AND FOR MOST

PART LAUDATORY COVERAGE OF EXHIBIT. COVERAGE OF THESE ITEMS APPEARED REACH CRESCENDO WITH REPORTAGE OF DISPLAY OF MIG-17 AND CHICOM TANKS AT PAK DAY PARADE MAR 23 IN PINDI. "JANG" EDITORIAL OF MAR 25 STATED PRESENCE OF CHICOM MILITARY GEAR WAS NOW SURPRISE BUT WAS "A NATURAL OUTCOME OF CLOSE SINO-PAK

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TIES" AND TERMED THE PARADE AS "A MIRROR OF PAKISTAN'S INDEPENDENT FOREIGN POLICY". "MILLAT" OF SAME DATE STATED INCLUSION OF CHICOM WEAPONS IN PARADE WOULD NOT ONLY CAUSE CONCERN TO PAKISTAN'S ENEMIES BUT REEMPHASIZE THE MANY FRIENDS THAT PAKISTAN HAS NOW WON. IT CALLED THE ARMS DISPLAY AT PINDI A MATTER OF HISTORIC IMPORTANCE. (SEE ALSO EMBTEL 1797 TO SECSTATE, 1356 TO PINDI.)

3. ITINERARY OF LIU'S PARTY GIVEN BY PRESS AS FOLLOWS: ARRIVAL IN PINDI FROM PEKING VIA SINKIANG ON MAR 26. EVENING OF MAR 28 PARTY WILL FLY TO LAHORE FOR 36-HOUR STAY. MORNING MAR 30 PARTY

WILL FLY TO KARACHI WHERE IT WILL REMAIN UNTIL DEPARTURE FOR CHINA MAR 31. FROM 4-8 APRIL, LIU WILL VISIT AFGHANISTAN AFTER WHICH HE WILL FLY TO BURMA VIA CHINA. HE IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN SECOND PHASE HIS TOUR OF PAKISTAN WHEN HE ARRIVES IN DACCA FROM BURMA ON APR 15 FOR TWO DAY VISIT TO EAST WING. ON APR 17 SCHEDULED RETURN TO CHINA. ACCORDING BENGALI WEEKLY JANATA MAR 23 VISITS TO TWO WINGS NOT CONSECUTIVE BECAUSE LIU DOES NOT WISH OVER-FLY INDIA.

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EUR AT LUNCH TODAY NASSER CONFIDANT MOHAMMED HAIKAL STATED THE
FE INVITATION FROM HANOI THAT HE HAD EXPECTED TO RECEIVE IN TOKYO HAD NOW
TO REACHED HIM IN CAIRO AND HE WAS CONSIDERING ANOTHER TRIP TO THE FAR
P EAST. HE IS SCHEDULED TO GO TO MOSCOW THE LATTER PART OF THIS MONTH
AND MAY GO FROM THERE TO TOKYO AND THEREAFTER TO HANOI. I ASKED
USIA WHETHER HIS RECENT TRIP HAD CHANGED HIS VIEWS ON THE VIETNAMESE
NSC SITUATION, NOTING THAT I WAS CONCERNED AT HIS EXPRESSIONS OF DOUBT
INR AS TO OUR SINCERITY IN OUR OBVIOUS DESIRE FOR PEACE IN VIETNAM. HE
CIA SAID THAT HIS VIEWS HAD NOT REALLY CHANGED AND THAT HE COULD NOT
NSA SEE ANY SOLUTION AT PRESENT. HE STATED HE DID NOT BELIEVE WE NEEDED
DOD ANY FURTHER HELP AT THE MOMENT FROM OTHER COUNTRIES AND THAT A SOLUTION
NIC IF ANY, MUST BE ARRIVED AT THROUGH THE DIRECTLY INTERESTED PARTIES.

DURING SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATION WITH PRES NASSER REPORTED
RSR SEPARATELY I THANKED HIM FOR HIS EFFORTS AT ASSISTANCE IN THE VIETNAMESE
MATTER. HE SAID THAT HE HAD FOLLOWED DAY TO DAY THE HEARINGS OF THE
SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE. HE COULD SEE NO SOLUTION AT
PRESENT TO THE "IMPASSE" IN SOUTH VIETNAM. "NO VICTORY WAS APPARENT
FOR EITHER SIDE."

HE ALSO SAID CHOU EN LAI IS PRESENTLY SCHEDULED TO GO TO ROMANIA
IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND THERE IS A POSSIBILITY THAT HE WILL COME BY
CAIRO WITH A MESSAGE FOR NASSER. THIS FACT WAS CONVEYED TO HIM BY
THE NEW CHINESE AMB. IN THE EVENT ANYTHING COMES OF THIS,
HE WOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH ME.

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Liu Shao-Chi Visit

We do not regard timing of Liu Shao-Chi and Chen Yi visit to Pakistan (at time Mrs. Gandhi visiting U.S.) as either accidental or desirable. How Ayub handles visit will in our view be major test of his willingness to keep (and, equally important, to be seen to keep) Pakistan's relations with Chicoms within limits that do not impair improvement of U.S.-Pak relations, create setback to development of peace on subcontinent or contribute to Chicom objectives elsewhere, including Southeast Asia.

You should therefore seek appointment with President Ayub to let him know how we feel about this. What would be helpful to avoid misunderstanding would be some indication that President will use this visit to advance common U.S.-Pak interests. We suggest you recall to Ayub his assurances to us (most recently to Vice President) that he is prepared to weigh in with Chicoms for restraint in their policies in

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Southeast Asia. You should tell Ayub (as Secretary said to B.K. Nehru; Deptel 1346 to Karachi) that at time when series of diplomatic setbacks causing Chicoms reassess their policies on broad scale, we have tremendous stake in whether their decision is to be more wild or sober. We believe Pakistan shares in that stake and we would expect that GOP would avoid any posture which might contribute to belief on part Chicoms at this crucial juncture that their present international posture, in Southeast Asia or elsewhere, has any future or that it may have support from Pakistan. Letter just received from President Ayub (Septel) leads us to believe we can expect this.

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GON FOREIGN MINISTER TOLD AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT
YESTERDAY HE "DOESN'T THINK" LIU SHAO-CHI COMING TO
NEPAL ON CURRENT TOUR ALTHOUGH STANDING INVITATION
EXISTS. FOREIGN SECRETARY SUBSEQUENTLY TOLD CHARGE
LIU SHAO-CHI DEFINITELY NOT VISITING NEPAL NOW. BARNES
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NCNA MARCH 17 ANNOUNCED ACCEPTANCE OF JSP INVITATION BY CHICOM PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS DELEGATION. NCNA LIST OF DELEGATION MEMBERS TALLIES WITH NAMES LISTED PARAGRAPH ONE REFTTEL. ANNOUNCEMENT SAYS VISIT WILL TAKE PLACE "SHORTLY AND CHICOM DELEGATION WILL, "ON BASIS OF FOUR JOINT STATEMENTS ALREADY ISSUED, EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH JSP ON FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF STRUGGLE AGAINST U.S. IMPERIALISM AND STRENGTHENING OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN TWO BODIES."

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YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR TOLD ME MARCH 17 THAT IN HIS OPINION CHOU EN-LAI VISIT RUMANIA PUT OFF FOR IMPRECISE PERIOD BUT WOULD CERTAINLY NOT TAKE PLACE BEFORE SOVIEI PARTY CONGRESS. ASSERTED THERE HAD BEEN DISCUSSIONS POSSIBLE CHOU EN-LAI VISIT TO RUMANIA, ALBANIA AND HUNGARY BEFORE MOSCOW CONGRESS BUT NOW NOT EVEN CERTAIN CHINESE WOULD BE REPRESENTED THERE.

RSR

RUMANIAN CHIEF OF PROTOCOL TOLD ITALIAN AMBASSADOR TWO DAYS AGO CHOU EN-LAI WOULD NOT BE COMING HERE IN MARCH.

YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR SAID TITO'S STATE VISIT SET FOR "SECOND HALF" APRIL (COUVE DE MURVILLE COMING APRIL 25-28) AND ONLY REMAINED WORK OUT DEFINITE DATES.

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1. ACCORDING JSP HEADQUARTERS SOURCE, JSP RECEIVED CABLE MARCH 17 FROM CHINESE PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS EXPRESSING WILLINGNESS TO ACCEPT JSP INVITATION TO SEND DELEGATION TO TOKYO EARLY APRIL FOR GOOD WILL VISIT. CABLE REPORTEDLY NAMED EIGHT-NAN DELEGATION TO BE HEADED BY HU YU-CHIH, VICE-CHAIRMAN CPIFA, AND INCLUDING CPIFA DIRECTORS CHAO AN-PO, CHAO CHENG-I, LI MENG-CHING, WU HSUEH-WEN, CHIN SU-CHENG AND TWO INTERPRETERS. JSP SECRETARY-GENERAL NARITA

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ACCORDING SOURCE, ALREADY IN TOUCH WITH LDP SEC GEN KAKUEI TANAKA AND CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY HASHIMOTO TO ASCERTAIN GOJ REACTION TO PROPOSED VISIT. JSP CONCERN CENTERED PRIMARILY ON FACT CHAO AN-PO AND WU HSUEH-WEN PREVIOUSLY REFUSED ENTRY
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LOCAL PRESS RADIO LAST NIGHT CARRIED MFA ANNOUNCEMENT CHICOM
PRESIDENT LIU AND FONGMIN CHEN, ACCOMPANIED BY WIVES AND OTHER
PERSONNEL, WILL PAY "FRIENDLY" OFFICIAL VISIT AFGHANISTAN EARLY
APRIL AT INVITATION KING WHO VISITED CHINA 1964. NO OTHER
DETAILS ANNOUNCED.

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Karachi reports LIU and CHEN expected in Pakistan about March 24 for approximately one week, but timing stop in East Pak not rpt not known, except that there will be gap between West and East Pak visits. Kabul reports LIU and CHEN expected there April three for approximately four-day visit.

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CHICOM VISIT

THE IMPENDING VISIT OF CHICOM PRESIDENT AND POSSIBLY CHOU'S
ELICITED EDITORIAL COMMENT IN TWO URDU PAPERS OVER WEEKEND:

1. NAWA-I-WAQT, MARCH 12: WELCOMED VISIT OF "RESPECTED LEADERS
OF VALUED FRIEND", AND SAID "DUTY TO EXPRESS GRATITUDE AND
GIVE RECOGNITION TO THE MORAL SUPPORT EXTENDED BY CHINA"
DURING HOSTILITIES. BY SHOWING "FRIENDSHIP", PAPER ADDED,
"REALITIES WILL BE MADE CLEARER TO THOSE WHO SHOWED US
ENMITY UNDER GARB OF FRIENDSHIP."

2. MAGHRIBI PAKISTAN, MARCH 13, CALLED FOR "GRAND WELCOME
ON OFFICIAL AND PUBLIC LEVEL" TO "FAITHFUL FRIEND OF PAKISTAN'S
MOMENTS OF TRIAL". METCALF UNQUOTE
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1. TIME-LIFE CORRESPONDENT SAYS HIS KARACHI STRINGER REPORTS THAT LIU S FO-CH'I AND PARTY PLAN TO VISIT WEST PAKISTAN, THEN "NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES", THEN PROCEED TO EAST PAKISTAN. SOURCE GIVEN AS PAK FOREIGN OFFICE.

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2. PRESUME "NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES" MOST LIKELY TO BE NEPAL, AFGHANISTAN OR BURMA.

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3. WE HAD UNDERSTOOD THERE WAS GAP BETWEEN EAST AND WEST PAK VISITS, BUT HAVE NO FURTHER INFO. BOWLES

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE PRESS TO DATE HAS GIVEN STRAIGHTFORWARD
REPORTING OF FORTHCOMING VISIT TO CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI AND
FORMIN CHEN YI. NO EDITORIAL COMMENTS TO DATE.

URDU PRESS OF MARCH 11 WELCOMED NEWS OF VISIT AND HOPED IT
WOULD STRENGTHEN TIES BETWEEN TWO FRIENDLY COUNTRIES. JANG
STATED THAT CHINA NOT ONLY SOURCE GREAT STRENGTH AND SUPPORT
FOR STRUGGLING NATIONS BUT ALSO A FACTOR WHICH LENDS SECURITY
TO EAST. HURRIYAT STATED VISIT WILL FRUSTRATE AMBITIONS OF
THOSE POWERS THAT DESIRE HARM SINO-PAK FRIENDLY TIES. ANJAM

SAID PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN STILL FULLY CONSCIOUS AND GRATEFUL TO
CPR FOR HELP IT PROVIDED TO PAKISTAN LAST SEPTEMBER. MARCH
16 HURRIYAT REPORTED THAT LIU EXPECTED ARRIVE IN PINDI ON
16 MARCH AND IS LIKELY VISIT PESHAWAR, LAHORE AND KARACHI
PRIOR TO GOING EAST PAK IN FIRST WEEK OF APRIL. IT ADDED THAT
JOINT COMMUNIQUE EXPECTED TO BE ISSUED AT END OF VISIT.

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BOTH VERNACULAR AND ENGLISH LANGUAGE PRESS HAVE GIVEN WIDE ADVANCE PUBLICITY TO OPENING CHICOM TRADE EXHIBIT KARACHI MARCH 15. MARCH 16 PRESS REPORTED OPENING ADDRESS BY CENTRAL COMMERCE MIN CHULAM FARUQUE WHO REPORTED AS RECOUNTING BACKGROUND LEADING UP TO EXHIBIT AND HIS OWN ROLE THEREIN. STATED EXHIBIT ORIGINALLY TO BE HELD AS PART OF PAKISTAN INTERNATIONAL FAIR OF 1966. BUT RECENT WAR CAUSED THIS TO BE POSTPONED. FARUQUE STATED HE REQUESTED CHINA TO HOLD SINGLE COUNTRY EXHIBIT. (A-452 TO SECSTATE).
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LIU AND CHEN TO VISIT KABUL

FOLLOWING WEEKEND, DIPLOMATIC SPECULATION HERE, SENIOR MFA OFFICIAL (DIRECTOR ECON AFFAIRS KARIM) CONFIRMED TO ECON COUNSELOR TODAY CHICOM PREMIER LIU SHAO-CHI AND FONMIN CHEN YI WILL VISIT KABUL ABOUT FOUR DAYS STARTING APRIL 3. KARIM EXPLAINED VISIT RESPONSIVE TO INVITATION ISSUED BY AFGHAN KING DURING TRIP CHINA NOVEMBER 1964 (EMB A-195, 1964) AND SCHEDULED IN CONNECTION FORTHCOMING LIU-CHEN VISIT PAKISTAN.

COMMENTS: VISIT NOT YET ANNOUNCED HERE BUT EXPECTED SHORTLY. PRESUMABLY TIMED TAKE PLACE BETWEEN WEST AND EAST WING PHASES OF VISIT PAKISTAN, EXPLAINING HIATUS. LITTLE ELSE KNOWN OF VISIT KABUL EXCEPT INDICATION FROM IRANIAN COLLEAGUES THAT RGA UNHAPPY OVER CHICOM INSISTENCE EARLY VISIT, TENTATIVELY PLANNED NEXT SUMMER, WHICH AFGHANS UNABLE REFUSE.

ONLY CLUE RE SUBSTANCE IS DISCLOSURE BY BRITISH EMBOFF RUSSELL TO ME MARCH 13 THAT DE FACTO ACTING FONMIN FARHADI HAD TOLD HIM RGA INTENDS RAISE ITS "VIETNAM PEACE COMMITTEE" PROPOSAL WITH CHICOM LEADERS DURING FORTHCOMING VISIT HEREO. SP HGIUME*

HOWEVER, FULL RANGE AFGHAN-CHICOM RELATIONS WILL BE DISCUSSED INCLUDING UTILIZATION \$28 MILLION CHINESE LINE OF CREDIT.

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SUBJECT: LIU TRIP TO PAKISTAN

1. NCNA MARCH 13 REPORT CONFIRMS THAT "LIU SHAO-CHI AND WIFE WANG KUANG-MEI WILL PAY FRIENDLY VISIT TO PAKISTAN AT INVITATION... AYBU KHAN." NCNA REVEALED THAT CHEN YI AND WIFE AND "OTHERS" WOULD ACCOMPANY LIU, BUT TIME OF VISIT WAS NOT GIVEN.

2. COMMENT: WHILE FIRM EVIDENCE AS TO INITIATIVE FOR VISIT LACKING, WE FEEL THAT PEKING MOST LIKELY URGED ON PAKS THIS RETURN OF AYUB'S MARCH 1965 VISIT. REGIME UNDOUBTEDLY CALCULATED THAT IN VIEW LAST SEPTEMBER'S DEVELOPMENTS, PAKS COULD HARDLY REFUSE.

PAGE TWO RUMJDH 19 CONFIDENTIAL
IN ANY EVENT LIU TRIP WILL MARK FIRST VENTURE ABROAD BY CHICOMS LEADER SINCE REGIME'S RECENT SERIES OF DIPLOMATIC SETBACKS BEGINNING WITH SECOND A-A CONFERENCE. AS SUCH, IT MAY PROVIDE INDICATION OF REGIME'S FOREIGN POLICY DIRECTION ALTHOUGH WE INCLINED BELIEVE PEKING WILL AVOID ISSUES WHICH COULD CAUSE EMBARRASSMENT FOR PAKS (E.G. VIETNAM, "U.S. IMPERIALISM," "MODERN REVISIONISTS"). REGIME PROBABLY VIEWS VISIT AS IMPORTANT MEANS COUNTER IMPRESSION AT HOME AND ABROAD THAT IT DIPLOMATICALLY ISOLATED AND AS OPPORTUNITY EMBARRASS U.S.-PAK RELATIONS THROUGH PRESENCE OF LIU IN COUNTRY. TO ASSURE VISIT HAS DESIRED FAVORABLE IMPACT, AND IN KEEPING WITH ITS POLICY OF ATTEMPTING WEAN PAKS AWAY FROM U.S., PEKING WILL PROBABLY VOICE COMPLETE SUPPORT PAK POSITION VIS-A-VIS INDIA AND KASHMIR AND MAY PLEDGE ADDITIONAL ECONOMIC AND POSSIBLY MILITARY AID TO PAKS (LATTER PROBABLY WOULD BE HANDLED COVERTLY). OUR FEELING, HOWEVER, IS THAT PAKS TENDENCY (DISAPPOINTING TO PEKING) TO DEAL WITH U.S. AND SOVS AND PEKING'S UNHAPPY EXPERIENCES WITH NATIONS LED BY NATIONAL BOURGEOISIE HAVE PROBABLY CREATED SOME FEELING OR RESERVE ON PART OF REGIME TOWARD AYUB GOVERNMENT.

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3. INCLUSION OF CHEN YI ON TRIP SERVES WEAKEN SPECULATION

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THAT HE IN TROUBLE AS RESULT REGIME'S FOREIGN POLICY REVERSES.
IT DOES NOT ENTIRELY DISPEL SUCH SPECULATIONS OWING REGIME'S
PRACTICE OF AVOIDING APPEARANCES OF DISUNITY AT TIME OF ADVERSITY.

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ACCORDING "MORNING NEWS", MARCH 11, CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI
EXPECTED VISIT PAKISTAN LATER THIS MONTH. LESS CATEGORICAL THAN
REFTEL PAPER INDICATED EXACT DATE ARRIVAL IS SUBJECT LIUS
CONVENIENCE BUT IS "BELIEVED BE AROUND MARCH 24." ITEM ADDED
THAT LIU MAY LIKELY BE ACCOMPANIED BY PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI, AND
COMMENTED THAT VISIT WILL BE SIGNIFICANT AS FIRST VISIT OF
CPR PRESIDENT TO PAKISTAN. THERE WAS NO MENTION OF CHEN YI
IN MARCH 11 MORNING NEWS.
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USIA 1. COUNCIL OF STATE NAMED AUREL DUMA TO SUCCEED DUMITRU
NSC GHEORGHIU AS RUMANIAN AMBASSADOR TO PEKING. (PRESS ALSO
INR NOTES TODAY DEPARTING GHEORGHIU RECEIVED MARCH 10 BY CHOU EN
CIA LAC, WHOSE EXPECTED DATE ARRIVAL FOR OFFICIAL VISIT HERE STILL
NSA NOT CLEAR.)
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NIC UNION PHYSICAL CULTURE AND SPORT 1960-65 AND WAS SECRETARY
RUMANIAN-SOVIET FRIENDSHIP ASSN 1952-59. REPORTEDLY UNDER
CRITICISM LAST YEAR FOR FAILURE TO STRENGTHEN NATIONAL

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SPORTS TEAMS, WAS DROPPED FROM MEMBERSHIP CC CENTRAL AUDITING
COMMISSION (TO WHICH ELECTED 1960) AT JULY 1965 PARTY
CONGRESS. RELIABLE SOURCE WHO ONCE ATTENDED UNIVERSITY WITH
DUMA SAYS HE HAS LIMITED ABILITY AND UNIMPRESSIVE REPUTATION.
HIS APPOINTMENT SHARPLY CONTRASTS WITH RECENT CHICOM DECISION
TO STRENGTHEN REPRESENTATION AT BUCHAREST BY MAKING EX-DEPUTY
FOREIGN MINISTER TSENG HUNG CHUAN AS NEW AMBASSADOR HERE AND
SUGGESTS RUMANIANS NOT ANXIOUS DEVELOP CLOSER TIES WITH CHICOMS
THAN NECESSARY TO ADVANCE OWN NATIONAL INTERESTS. DAVIS
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LIU SHAO-CHI VISIT TO PAKISTAN (UNDERSCORE)

1. ACCORDING KARACHI PRESS, LIU VISIT CONFIRMED BY CPR EMBASSY AND MFA. NO ADDITIONAL DETAILS CONFIRMED BY SEVERAL NEWSPAPERS SUGGEST PREMIER CHEN SHEN-LAI TO ACCOMPANY CHAIRMAN LIU SHAO-CHI AND FONG MIN CHEN YU.

2. ACCORDING MAR 11 (BEGIN UNDERLINE) MORNING NEWS, (END UNDERLINE) EXACT DATE LIU ARRIVAL "SUBJECT TO HIS CONVENIENCE," BUT "BELIEVED BE AROUND MAR 24." (BEGIN UNDERLINE) NEWS

PAGE TWO RUQVGM 007 CONFIDENTIAL
(END UNDERLINE) INDICATED LIU WOULD REMAIN ABOUT ONE WEEK. ACCORDING UNCONFIRMED HONG KONG PRESS REPORT, CHICOM DELEGATION PLANS VISIT KARACHI, LAHORE, RAWALPINDI.

3. COMMENT: DATE OF ARRIVAL OF CHICOM LEADERS STILL NOT CLEAR AND OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF VISIT AND SCHEDULE HAS NOT YET BEEN MADE. WE DO NOT YET KNOW WHETHER VISIT WILL BE TIMED TO INCLUDE PAK NATIONAL DAY, BUT ASSUME CHICOMS WOULD DESIRE SUCH INVITATION.

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ACCORDING MARCH 10 PRESS REPORTS, CPR PRES LIU SHAO-CHI
AND FORMIN CHEN YI WILL MAKE STATE VISIT TO PAKISTAN
BEGINNING MARCH 24. LIU WILL REPORTEDLY VISIT BOTH WINGS
OF PAK, REMAINING HERE ABOUT ONE WEEK. PRESS STATES THIS IN
RETURN FOR AYUBS VISIT TO CPR. MCCONAUGHY
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Dacca FOR THE AMBASSADOR

1. BRITISH HIGH COMMISSION HERE HAS HEARD THAT CHICOM CHIEF OF STATE LIU SHAO-CHI TO BE GUEST AT MARCH 23 PAKISTAN DAY CELEBRATIONS. INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM PRESS REPORTER WHO CLAIMED TO HAVE IT FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY.

2. REPORT THAT LIU WOULD VISIT PAKISTAN "IN NEAR FUTURE" APPEARED IN (UNDERLINE) DAWN (END UNDERLINE) FEB 25. (BEGIN UNDERLINE) DAWN (END UNDERLINE) ARTICLE STATED VISIT WOULD BE IN RESPONSE TO INVITATION EXTENDED BY PRES AYUB WHEN HE WAS IN PEIPING LAST YEAR. (BEGIN UNDERLINE) JANG, (END UNDERLINE) URDU LANGUAGE DAILY, REPORTED MAR 10 THAT LIU WOULD ARRIVE MAR 23.

3. COMMENT: WHILE CANNOT BE ASSUMED THAT ABOVE REPORTS ARE AUTHORITATIVE, PAK-CHICOM JOINT COMMUNIQUE OF MARCH 7, 1965 INDICATED THAT LIU HAD ACCEPTED AYUB'S INVITATION TO PAY STATE VISIT PAKISTAN AT MUTUALLY CONVENIENT TIME. PEIPING COULD NOW SEE SUCH VISIT AS MEANS BOLSTERING CHICOM INFLUENCE IN PAKISTAN VIS-A-VIS SOVIETS, HARMING PAK-US RELATIONSHIPS, AND MAKING MORE DIFFICULT NORMALIZATION RELATIONS BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND INDIA.

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B. FJT 11240 (Confidential - no foreign dissemination) Feb. 28, 1966

FROM : AMEMBASSY, TOKYO

DATE: March 4, 1966

SUBJECT: Reported Chinese Communist Proposal to Send Delegation to Japan

REF :

1. As reported in Reference A, the Japanese press beginning February 25 has carried items concerning a Chinese Communist proposal to send a high-ranking delegation to Japan to carry out the 1964 agreement for regular meetings between the Japanese Socialist Party and the Chinese People's Institute of Foreign Affairs. The first enclosed memorandum of conversation sets forth additional information and comment from a JSP source concerning the letter from Liao Cheng-chih to JSP Chairman Sasaki which reportedly conveyed the Chinese Communist intention. The description of the prospective circumstances of such a visit given in the enclosure is generally similar to that set forth in Reference B, also from a JSP source. Comments of a Foreign Office official are reported in the second enclosure, and add to the mystery surrounding the Liao-Sasaki letter.

2. The attitude of the JSP participants in the conversation* clearly implied that the question of a Chinese Communist visit under the proposed conditions is likely to lead to severe factional contention within the Japanese Socialist Party. However, Mr. Yamaguchi and

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and Mr. Sugiyama may have expressed too much confidence that there would be effective resistance within the JSP to the visit. It appears likely that the question, if it came to a head within the next few months, would strike the JSP leadership as an excellent opportunity to embarrass Prime Minister Sato and his administration and that the temptation to exploit it for this purpose, when a general election loomed on the horizon, might well outweigh JSP factional differences. On the other hand a Foreign Ministry official remarked that the "threat" of a Chinese Communist VIP visit might be more useful to the JSP, from this standpoint, than an actual visit; he felt that the JSP would have serious problems agreeing with their guests on a communique which would serve the purposes of both.

3. Japanese Government officials have been cautious in their public statements concerning the official attitude toward the projected visit. Justice Minister Ishii, in reply to a Socialist question in a Lower House Budget Subcommittee February 26, reportedly stated that "entry even of Chinese Communist leaders could not be easily permitted in the future" in view of the political embarrassment caused by the delegation led by Nan Han-chen in August, 1965. A similar view was expressed to the press by an unidentified Foreign Office spokesman February 25, with emphasis on the position that approval of entry would depend on the purposes of a mission, and that "political purposes," including periodic talks with an opposition party, would be considered unacceptable. Chief Cabinet Secretary Hashimoto characteristically took a more forthcoming line with the press. He stressed the need for any delegation to abstain from intervention in domestic politics but suggested that if a visit "were premised on a thaw in the international situation," this would help a great deal to offset the inevitable general political coloration of such a visit. Hashimoto reportedly then wandered off into comments on the timing of a possible visit, which the press interpreted as an indication that the GOJ leadership was in fact approaching the question with flexibility. In the Embassy's view, it is hard to imagine that any responsible LDP or GOJ official would think the projected visit likely to have favorable results for the Sato administration. However there is an understandable reluctance in the GOJ to take a firm anti-visit stand while the question remains hypothetical, and the GOJ can be expected to show great caution in deciding and expressing its position if it is faced with actual applications for entry.

4. Of possible incidental interest in this connection are press reports that LDP Diet member Kenzo Matsumura has received an invitation from Liao Cheng-chih to visit Communist China and hopes to make the trip in April, 1966. Matsumura reportedly had expressed the hope of going to China with the title of Special Envoy of the Prime Minister, but was told by Sato that it was not the time for a trip of that sort. The timing of these expressions of Chinese

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FROM : AMEMBASSY VIENNA

DATE: March 3, 1966

SUBJECT: High Level Red Chinese Visit to Rumania

REF : Bucharest's Telegram 796 to Department dated March 1, 1966
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In a recent conversation with the Czechoslovakian Commercial Attache, the latter confirmed that a high level Red Chinese delegation was expected in Rumania in the near future.

FOR THE AMBASSADOR:

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MARCH 1, 1966

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1. YUGOSLAV COUNSELOR POPOVIC (PROTECT SOURCE)
TOLD EMBASSY OFFICER IN STRICT CONFIDENCE THAT DURING
MAURER'S JANUARY 26-29 VISIT TO YUGOSLAVIA, RUMANIAN
PREMIER INDICATED CHOU-EN-LAI WOULD SOON VISIT BUCHAREST.
MAURER GAVE NO RPT NO DATES, BUT POPOVIC THOUGHT CHOU
WOULD ARRIVE APPROXIMATELY MARCH 20, AFTER VISIT
YUGOSLAV VP KRAJGER (BEGINNING MARCH 1) AND VISIT
HUNGARIAN FIRST SECRETARY KADAR (WHO POPOVIC SAYS IS
SCHEDULED ARRIVE MARCH 10).

2. TODAY USUALLY RELIABLE RUMANIAN SOURCE ALSO TOLD US CHICOM
PREMIER WILL COME TO RUMANIA IN "MID-MARCH."

3. PERHAPS ALSO WORTH NOTING THAT NEW DIPLOMATIC
LIST JUST ISSUED (DATED JANUARY) SHOWS NEW CHICOM
AMBASSADOR TSENG AHEAD OF DANISH AMBASSADOR (WHO IS
SCHEDULED PRESENT CREDENTIALS MARCH 15) WHICH SUGGESTS
TSENG EXPECTED SOON. PRESUMABLY PEKING WOULD PREFER
HAVE AMBASSADOR INSTALLED BEFORE CHOU VISIT.

4. IF KADAR AND CHOU IN FACT SHOW UP, RUMANIAN
LEADERSHIP WILL HAVE BUSY MONTH WHICH APPEARS LIKELY
END WITH CEAUSESCU IN MOSCOW FOR SOVIET PARTY CONGRESS.
SOVIET EMBASSY OFFICERS SAY AMBASSADOR BASOV HANDED
CEAUSESCU INVITATION DURING HIS FIRST CALL ON RUMANIAN
SECRETARY GENERAL FEBRUARY 24. DAVIS

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ACCORDING QUAI CHINA DESKOFF, REPORT FROM FRENCH AMBASSADOR BUCHAREST ALONG LINES PARA ONE REFTEL IS ONLY INFORMATION RECEIVED SO FAR BY FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE RE POSSIBILITY VISIT TO RUMANIA BY CHOU-EN-LAI. SOURCE ALSO STATED NO RPT NO TRUTH TO STORY ON FRONT PAGE FEB 21 EDITION COMBAT (NOT PICKED UP BY ANY OTHER FRENCH NEWSPAPER) THAT ACCORDING CERTAIN RUMORS CIRCULATING IN PEKING, CHICOM PRIME MINISTER WOULD VISIT IN MARCY ONE OR TWO WESTERN CAPITALS AFTER VISIT TO ALBANIA AND RUMANIA. VISIT TO "WESTERN CAPITALS" HAS BEEN INTERPRETED INCLUDE PARIS, WHICH ACCOUNTS FOR COMBAT'S HEADLINE "CHOU-EN-LAI IN PARIS?"

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C O N F I D E N T I A L FEBRUARY 25

REF HONGKONG'S 1567

1. EMBASSY NOTES CONTINUING REPORTS FROM ABROAD (E.G. REFTEL) THAT CHICOM PREMIER CHOU EN LAI PLANNING BUCHAREST VISIT IN EARLY MARCH. WE HAVE NO DIRECT CONFIRMATION SUCH VISIT, BUT FRENCH AMBASSADOR PONS, WHO SAW VICE PREMIER BIRLADEANU FEBRUARY 24 ON OTHER SUBJECTS, TOOK OCCASION TO POSE QUESTION DIRECTLY TO BIRLADEANU AND INTERPRETS "EMBARRASSED" RESPONSE AS CONFIRMATION SOMETHING TO STORY. VICE PREMIER APPARENTLY

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EXPRESSED SURPRISE IDEA OF VISIT IN PUBLIC DOMAIN AND SAID DISCUSSION OF IT "PREMATURE" BUT ADDED THAT CHICOM PREMIER HAD INDEED PROPOSED LATER VISIT TO RUMANIA WHEN HE CAME FOR DEJ FUNERAL LAST MARCH.

2. WEST GERMANS HERE TELL US THAT "VERY HIGH" RUMANIAN OFFICIAL QUOTED REFTEL WAS PREMIER MAURER WHO VISITED HUNGARY JANUARY 10-13.

3. EMBASSY SEES NO COMPELLING REASON WHY HIGH LEVEL CHICOMS VISIT COULD NOT BE IN OFFING. ON CONTRARY, SEEMS TO US BOTH RUMANIANS AND CHICOMS MIGHT SEE ADVANTAGE IN SUCH CONTACT.

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4. ON RUMANIAN SIDE, POLICY OF "NEUTRALITY" IN MOSCOW-PEKING DISPUTE SUGGESTS DESIRABILITY OF RENEWING EMPHASIS ON TIE WITH PEKING IN WAKE OF BREZHNEV VISIT HERE FOR 9TH RCP CONGRESS LAST JUNE AND CEAUSESCU/MAURER VISIT TO MOSCOW IN SEPTEMBER. ALSO, TO EXTENT SOVIETS AND OTHERS IN EASTERN EUROPE HAVE BEEN PRESSURING RUMANIANS ON UNITY QUESTION, BUCHAREST COULD FEEL FURTHER DEMONSTRATION THEIR "PRINCIPLED" POSITION APPROPRIATE, ALTHOUGH WAKING PROBABILITY OF ANY INTERNATIONAL COMMUNIST MEETING OCCURRING

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EITHER IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOVIET CONGRESS OR ELSEWHERE PRESUMABLY DIMINISHES FORCE OF THIS CONSIDERATION. ANOTHER FACTOR INFLUENCING RUMANIANS TO LOOK FAVORABLY ON CHINESE VISIT MIGHT BE BUCHAREST'S WISH FULLY ESTABLISH "NEUTRALITY" BEFORE RECEIVING TITO HERE IN LATE APRIL OR MAY.

5. AS FOR TIMING, WE CAN ONLY SPECULATE ON RUMANIAN PREFERENCE. CHINESE VISIT BEFORE FORTHCOMING SOVIET PARTY CONGRESS, TO WHICH TOP LEVEL (CEAUSESCU) RUMANIAN DELEGATION MAY GO, WOULD LIKELY RESULT IN FURTHER STRAINS IN MOSCOW-BUCHAREST RELATIONS. A VISIT AFTER SOVIET CONGRESS WOULD PERHAPS INCUR LESS RISK OF SUCH RESULT SINCE BOTH PARTIES WOULD BE ABLE TO PLAN MEETING IN KNOWLEDGE OUTCOME OF INEVITABLE CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN ALL PARTIES HAVING REPRESENTATIVES AT CONGRESS.

6. WE KNOW LITTLE OF HOW CHICOMS MIGHT SEE SUCH VISIT AT THIS TIME BUT NOTE RECENT APPOINTMENT OF VICE FOREIGN MINISTER TSENG HUNG CHUAN (WHO SHOULD ARRIVE HERE ANY DAY) SUGGESTS IMPORTANCE PEKING ATTACHES TO MAINTAINING RUMANIAN RELATIONSHIP. WE WOULD ALSO ASSUME PEKING MIGHT BE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN DEMONSTRATING IT IS NOT ISOLATED

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PRIOR TO SOVIET PARTY CONGRESS. CHICOM VISIT TO ALBANIA (WHERE
FRENCH EMBASSY SAYS THERE IS CONTINUING EVIDENCE OF FRICTION
IN SINO-ALBANIAN RELATIONSHIP) AND RUMANIA MIGHT THUS SEEM
DESIRABLE. IN VIEW OF BIRLADEANU INTIMATION OF LONG-TERM
CHICOM INTEREST IN ARRANGING CHOU VISIT TO RUMANIA, ONE
REPORT PICKED UP BY BRITISH EMBASSY TO EFFECT FORMER CHICOM
AMBASSADOR LIU WAS CRITICIZED BY PEKING FOR FAILURE ARRANGE
SUCH VISIT MAY ALSO BE RELEVANT.
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1. ASAHI FEB 24 CARRIED ITEM STATING THAT JSP CHAIRMAN SASAKI HAD RECEIVED LETTER FROM LIAO CHENG-CHIH, CHAIRMAN CHINA-JAPAN FRIENDSHIP SOCIETY, WHICH SAID THAT PEKING WOULD LIKE TO SEND DELEGATION TO JAPAN IN ACCORDANCE WITH OCTOBER 1964 AGREEMENT FOR REGULAR EXCHANGE OF MEETINGS BETWEEN JSP AND CHINESE PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND THAT IF SASAKI WANTED TO COME TO CHINA, HE WOULD BE WELCOME AT ANY TIME. PAPER SPECULATED LIAO OR VICE FONGMIN CHAO KUAN-HUA WOULD COME. ASAHI SAID

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SASAKI HAD REVEALED LETTER AT RECENT JSP CEC MEETING. NO OTHER PAPER CARRIED STORY.

2. DURING DISCUSSION THIS DEVELOPMENT WITH FONOFF OFFICIAL (FUJITA, CHINA SECTION), FUJITA SAID THAT SOURCE CLOSE TO JSP HAD INFORMED HIM THAT STORY WAS DRAMATIZED LEAK BY SASAKI WHO PUTTING ON ONE-MAN SHOW TO DEMONSTRATE INITIATIVE IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS. FUJITA SAID HIS SOURCE DUBIOUS ABOUT MARCH TIMING OF VISIT SPECULATED IN ASAHI ARTICLE, BELIEVING THAT SASAKI MORE LIKELY PREFER VISIT WHEN HE HAS GREATER MAJORITY IN JSP CECO I.E. NOT BEFORE NEXT CONVENTION IN LATE FALL. FUJITA SAID FONOFF DOUBTS THAT PEKING PREPARED AT THIS STAGE SEND ANYONE OF STATURE OF LIAO OR CHAO; CHANG HSI-JO OR LOWER RANKING INDIVIDUAL MORE LIKELY, FONOFF INFORMATION STILL INCOMPLETE AND FURTHER ANALYSIS DEPENDENT ON DEVELOPMENT ADDITIONAL SOURCES. HE COULD NOT TELL WHAT DECISION AT GOJ POLITICAL LEVEL WOULD BE IF JSP APPROACHED GOVT FOR ADMISSION CHICOM DELEGATION.

3. ANNUAL MEETINGS TO BE HELD ALTERNATELY IN JAPAN AND CHINA AGREED TO IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE SIGNED BY JSP AND CPIFA OCTOBER 1964

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WHEN JSP SENT MISSION LED BY SEC GEN NARITA TO PEKING, (EMBASSY AIRGRAM A-815, DECEMBER 21, 1964). EXPECTED RETURN VISIT TO JAPAN

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IN 1965 DID NOT MATERIALIZE BECAUSE OF REPORTED CHICOM DISPLEASURE AT JSP. IF CHICOM VISIT OCCURS, WOULD BE FEATHER IN CAP FOR SASAKI WHO FAVORS CLOSER JSP-CHICOM TIES. JSP HEADQUARTERS INTERNATIONAL BUREAU STAFFER (YAMAGUCHI), HOWEVER, EXPRESSED CONSIDERABLE SKEPTICISM THAT LIAO LETTER ANYTHING MORE THAN PROPAGANDA GAMBIT. EMBASSY SPECULATES IT MAY HAVE RESULTED IN PART FROM SASAKI FISHING FOR INVITATION TO VISIT CHINA, IMPLICIT IN HIS RECENT PUBLIC STATEMENTS ABOUT PLANNING TRIP TO COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

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GERMAN CONSULATE OFFICER TOLD US THAT GERMANS HAVE REPORT FROM
BUDAPEST QUOTING UNIDENTIFIED BUT "VERY HIGH" ROMANIAN OFFICIAL
AS STATING THAT CHOU EN-LAI WOULD VISIT ROMANIA IN EARLY MARCH
ROMANIAN SOURCE EMPHASIZED THAT VISIT WOULD TAKE PLACE BEFORE
SOVIET PARTY CONGRESS.

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DURING CALL ON FORNIN HAEKKERUP NOV 3 I INQUIRED WHETHER
PRIMIN KRAG WAS CONSIDERING VISIT TO PEKING (SEE MOSCOW 1320
TO DEPT).

HAEKKERUP REPLIED DANES WERE SEEKING MEASURED IMPROVEMENT IN
CONTACTS AND "WARMING ATMOSPHERE" WITH PEKING. HE CITED DANISH
TRADE MISSION VISIT TO PEKING IN FEBRUARY AND RETURN VISIT OF
TRADE DELEGATION LED BY CHICOM DEPUTY MINISTER FOREIGN TRADE IN JUNE.

FORNIN ALSO SAID DANES UNDERSTOOD FROM DANISH AMBASSADOR

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PEKING THAT CHOU EN-LAI IS INTERESTED IN VISITING SCANDINAVIA.
HOWEVER HE SAID THERE ARE NO IMMEDIATE PLANS FOR EXTENDING
INVITATION OR FOR KRAG VISIT. I REPLIED US WOULD BE INTERESTED
IN KRAG VISIT TO PEKING AND HAS CONFIDENCE IN HIS ABILITY TO
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USIA "1. THE FOLLOWING STORY WAS RELATED TO A DACCA AID OFFICIAL
NSC BY AN ITALIAN WHO HAS WORKED IN DACCA FOR ABOUT THREE MONTHS
INR FOR PIDC. THE ITALIAN STATED THAT HE WAS AT THE AIRPORT ON
CIA OCTOBER 27 WHEN THE PIA FLIGHT FROM CHINA ARRIVED. THE PLANE
NSA CARRIED A NUMBER OF UNIDENTIFIED CHINESE WHOSE LEADER WAS
DOO EFFUSIVELY GREETED BY GOVERNOR MONEM KHAN AND TAKEN TO THE VIP
NIC LOUNGE. WHEN THE PLANE WAS READY TO TAKE OFF, MONEM JOINED THE
CHINESE PARTY ABOARD THE PLANE AND ACCOMPANIED THEM TO KARACHI."

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"2. COMMENT: THE DACCA PRESS REPORTED MONEM AS ARRIVING IN
RAVALPINDI ON THE MORNING OF OCTOBER 28. WE HAVE NO INFORMATION
WHICH WOULD INDICATE HOW SIGNIFICANT WAS THE FACT THAT MONEM
MET THIS GROUP AND ACCOMPANIED THEM AT LEAST AS FAR AS KARACHI.
THE GOVERNOR, HOWEVER, DOES NOT CUSTOMARILY MEET CHINESE AT
THE AIRPORT UNLESS THEY ARE OF UNUSUALLY HIGH RANK."
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EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED MISDIRECTED ENGLISH LANGUAGE TELEGRAM
FROM ACCRA NOTIFYING CHINESE EMBASSY HERE OF DEPARTURE OF
LIU TSO WEN FOR BANGUI OCTOBER 28. CAN ACCRA OR INFO ADDEES
IDENTIFY LIU AND SUGGEST POSSIBLE REASONS VISIT?

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AIRPOUCHED OCT 8 TO FE/ACA (DAVID DEAN) SEVEN-PAGE REPORT FROM AFP CORRESPONDENT PEKING WHICH IS MOST COMPLETE TEXT SEPT. 23 CHEN YI PRESS CONFERENCE AVAILABLE HERE. QUAI OFFICERS SAY THEY HAVE SO FAR RECEIVED ONLY BRIEF ANALYSIS CHEN YI STATEMENT FROM THEIR EMBASSY PEKING.
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USIS sent Asahi Shimbun report Chen I press conference via signals message October 050130. Other stories and comment sent via airmail. FBIS filed Akahata account via message October 011059. Akahata account sent Hong Kong via airmail. Foreign Office has no text but promised pass on accounts expected from Japanese newsmen after return. Tokyo would appreciate text or lengthy excerpts when available.

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DAC DENSON OF FO FAR EAST DEPT, TAKING BREATHERS FROM FO MEETING ON CHICOMS, SAID F.O. FELT THIS HAD BEEN BAD WEEK FOR CHICOM-INDON AXIS (RE CHINA HE WAS REFERRING TO "HYSTERICAL" TONE CHEN YI PRESS CONFERENCE) AND IF FOLLOWED WEEK IN WHICH CHICOMS HAD LOST PRESTIGE FOR SIDELINE SHOUTING DURING INDO-PAK FRACAS. HE SURMISED NUMBER FIRM CHINESE ALLIES NOW AGAIN REDUCED TO ALBANIA.

PAGE 2 RUFHDN 103C C O N F I D E N T I A L TURNED OVER FOLLOWING PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT PREPARED OCT. 4 BY FE DEPT, FO OF CHEN YI PRESS CONFERENCE. FO STILL DOES NOT HAVE FULL TEXT CONFERENCE. UNNECESSARY WORDS OMITTED.

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AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE

IMPRESSION LEFT BY CH'EN YI'S REMARKS IS THAT CHINESE GOVERNMENT BEGINNING HAVE SERIOUS DOUBTS RE VALUE THIS CONFERENCE ON WHICH THEY HAVE FOR SOME TIME PLACED SUCH HOPES. CH'EN YI SAID FLATLY IF CHINA COULD NOT FEEL ASSURED THAT CONFERENCE WOULD ACTIVELY PROMOTE STRUGGLE AGAINST U.S. IMPERIALISM, THEN, IN CHINESE VIEW, IT SHOULD BE POSTPONED

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"UNTIL CONDITIONS WERE RIPE". IN OTHER WORDS, IF CONFERENCE NOT PREPARED SIMPLY ECHO CHINESE LINES ON VN AND OTHER WORLD PROBLEMS, CHINESE WOULD RATHER IT NOT TAKE PLACE. CHINESE APPEAR BE NOT AT ALL HAPPY ABOUT WAY PREPARATIONS FOR CONFERENCE GOING AND PREPARING THEMSELVES FOR WORST. IT ALSO WORTH NOTING THERE SOME AMBIGUITY IN CH'EN YI'S REFERENCE TO SOVIET PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCE. PREVIOUS CHINESE LINE HAS BEEN CONSISTENTLY TO OPPOSE SOVIET PARTICIPATION. CH'EN YI STRONGLY REITERATED THIS LINE BUT ADDED RIDER THAT

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ALTHOUGH CHINA'S VIEWS PERFECTLY CLEAR, SHE WAS NOT AFRAID OF SOVIET PARTICIPATION AND WOULD BE QUITE WILLING RAISE SINO-SOVIET DISPUTE IN CONTEXT OF CONFERENCE. IT NOT YET CLEAR WHETHER THIS SHOULD BE INTERPRETED AS THREAT TO THOSE WHO ADVOCATE SOVIET PARTICIPATION (E.E. U.A.R.) ON THE LINES OF "IF YOU LET RUSSIANS IN WE WILL RECK THE CONFERENCE", OR WHETHER CHINESE ARE INDEED PREPARING THEMSELVES FOR POSSIBLE RUSSIAN PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCE, ASSUMING IT TAKES PLACE.

UNITED NATIONS

CH'EN YI THANKED NATIONS WHICH HAD CALLED FOR SEATING OF CHINA IN U.N. THIS YEAR, BUT ADDED IN HIS VIEW, UN NOT YET READY BREAK ITS LINKS WITH FORMOSA. IN ANY CASE, CHINA DEMANDED UN SHOULD OPENLY DECLARE U.N. RESOLUTION ON CHINESE AGGRESSION IN KOREA WAS WRONG AND U.N. CHARTER SHOULD BE REVIEWED BY ALL NATIONS INCLUDING ALL "INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES" (THIS PRESUMABLY MEANS NVN, NORTH KOREA AND EAST GERMANY) AND EXCLUDING "IMPERIALIST PUPPETS" (CONGO/LEOPOLDVILLE, MALAYSIA, ISRAEL AND ANYONE ELSE CHINA CARES TO NAME), BEFORE CHINA WOULD BE PREPARED TO CO-OPERATE WITH UN. THESE TWO CONDITIONS ARE QUITE NEW: PREVIOUSLY, CHINESE HAD SIMPLY

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INSISTED U.N. SEVER ALL LINKS WITH CHINATS AS PRE-CONDITON THEIR ENTRY. IT SEEMS CHINESE HAVE CALCULATED THEY STAND NO CHANCE BEING ADMITTED THIS YEAR AND PROBABLY ALSO THEY HAVE DECIEDED NOT ACCEPT THEIR SEAT IN U.N. AS AT PRESENT CONSTITUTED. THIS EXTREME STAND LIKELY STRENGTHEN HANDS OF THOSE WHO WISH KEEP CHINA OUT DURING CURRENT SESSION.

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CH'EN YI REPEATED CHARGE IN CHINESE NOTE OF 1 SEPTEMBER THAT BRITISH GOVT WERE ALLOWING HONG KONG BE USED AS BASE FOR AMERICAN AGGRESSION. BUT HE DISMISSED OUR ALLEGED ACTIONS AS "RATHER STUPID" AND DID NOT INDICATE THEY GOING TO PURSUE CHARGE FURTHER AT PRESENT PROVIDED, NATURALLY, WE DID NOT PERSIST IN THESE ACTIONS. TONE HIS REFERENCES TO HONG KONG CHIMED WITH THEIR PREVIOUS LINE OF MAINTAINING STATUS QUO. INDEED HIS REFERENCES TO KHRUSHCHEV'S INTERFERENCE AND NEED NOT TO DEAL WITH TAIWAN, HONG KONG AND MACAO IN ISOLATION, WERE DEFENSIVE, SUGGESTING THAT ALTHOUGH THEY REALISED THEY ON WEAK GROUND, THEY DID NOT INTEND PURSUE MORE ACTIVE POLICY AGAINST THESE THREE TERRITORIES.

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PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

CH'EN YI'S REPLY ON THIS QUESTION, ALTHOUGH AMBIVALENT, STRONGLY SUGGESTS CHINA DOES NOT INTEND HELP HER FRIENDS DEVELOP THEIR OWN NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR ENCOURAGE THEM TO DO SO. AT SAME TIME, IN LINE WITH CHINA'S PREVIOUSLY EXPRESSED VIEW, HE SUPPORTED THEIR RIGHT TO HAVE THEIR OWN NUCLEAR ARMS. HE COULD DO HARDLY LESS IN VIEW SUKARNO'S STATEMENTS. AS FAR AS CHINA CONCERNED, HER SUPPORTERS SHOULD CONCENTRATE ON ATTACKING "IMPERIALISM" AND BUILDING UP THEIR OWN INDEPENDENT ECONOMIES."

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Preceded by lengthy protestations of Sino-Guinean friendship in the Guinean news media, a high-level Chinese Communist delegation led by Foreign Minister Chen Yi arrived in Conakry on September 15 from Bamako. Although originally scheduled to remain in Conakry until the late afternoon of the 17th, the delegation left ahead of schedule for Peking by way of Algiers and Damascus at midnight on the 16th. No final communique was issued at the end of the visit, but Radio Conakry reported that the agenda for the Chen Yi-Toure talks included the following points: 1) the Viet-Nam and India-Pakistan conflicts; 2) the Algiers Afro-Asian Conference; 3) the Sino-Soviet ideological dispute; and 4) bilateral Sino-Guinean relations.

On September 17 the Algerian Charge told the Embassy that the purpose of the Chen Yi visit was an attempt to obtain assurances from the Guinean Government that its member of the Bandung II Preparatory Commission would vote against Soviet participation at the conference. According to the Algerian, the Guineans rejected the Chinese appeal. This was later confirmed during the course of the Ambassador's farewell visit to the President on September 19, when Toure volunteered the following information on the Chen Yi visit:

1. The discussions were long and tiring; they lasted about 17 hours with Chen Yi doing most of the talking. Most of the time was spent discussing Viet-Nam and the Sino-Soviet ideological conflict.

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2. The Chicoms requested that Guinea vote against Soviet participation in the Algiers Afro-Asian Conference as it had in the past, the logic being that the USSR is neither African nor Asian but white. This request was denied on the grounds that previous Guinean opposition had been based on economic considerations (the Afro-Asians are underdeveloped nations, while the USSR is already developed), but Guinea had now changed its mind and could not accept the racist arguments put forward by Chen Yi.

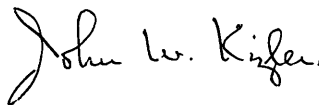
3. Chen Yi used intense racist arguments in denigrating the Soviet Union and the West.

4. The Chicoms were very bellicose and rigid in their discussion of the Viet-Nam war. When asked by Toure whether Peking would receive a possible peace mission under OAU auspices, Chen Yi flatly stated "no."

Comment: It appears that the Chicoms badly overplayed their hand with the Guineans. Chen Yi's racist picture of a united Afro-Asian world opposing the "white menace" did not rest well with President Toure. The Chinese attempt to draw Guinea into the Sino-Soviet dispute by having her vote "no" to Soviet participation in the Algiers conference, especially at a time when Guinea is dickering with Russia for the enormous Konkoure dam aid package, apparently was a serious blunder on their part. To the Guineans, non-alignment means a balancing act between China and Russia as well as between East and West.

In the Embassy's opinion, Chen Yi's bellicose and uncompromising stance on Viet-Nam and other issues, including co-existence, was badly received by the President and may lead to a reassessment of Guinea's relations with Communist China.

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Karachi news

SHORTLY BEFORE MIDNIGHT SEPT 4 CHINESE FOMIN AND VICE PREMIER CHEN YI GAVE PRESS BRIEFING TO NEWSMEN IN KARACHI IN WHICH HE SUPPORTED "JUST STRUGGLE OF KASHMIR PEOPLE AGAINST TYRANNICAL DOMINATION OF INDIA." CONTINUING ON KASHMIR THEME CHEN YI NOTED CHINA AFFIRMED "CONSTANT" STAND OF CHINESE GOVT ON KASHMIR, AND THAT IT CONSIDERS KASHMIR QUESTION MUST BE SOLVED IN CONFORMITY WITH COMMITMENTS MADE BY BOTH INDIA AND PAK TO KASHMIRI PEOPLE AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH WISHES OF KASHMIRI PEOPLE. HE BRANDED INDIA AS RESPONSIBLE FOR PRESENT STRUGGLE KASHMIR OWING ITS CRUEL AND REPRESSIVE RULE. IN NAME OF CHINA HE CONDEMNED INDIAN VIOLATIONS OF CEASE-FIRE LINE AND FOR PROVOKING AND ENLARGING CONFLICT. HE NOTED CHINA SUPPORTED "JUST" ACTION OF PAKS TO REPEL INDIAN ARMED PROVOCATION. CHEN YI REJECTED AS "SLANDER" INDIAN ALLEGATIONS THAT CHINESE EXPERTS HAD BEEN TRAINING GUERILLAS IN PAK FOR FIGHTING IN KASHMIR. HE SAID INDIAN AND WESTERN PRESS IN HABIT OF ASSOCIATING CHINA WITH ALL INDEPENDENT MOVEMENTS ALL OVER WORLD. CHINA BIG NATION BUT POOR COUNTRY. IT HAS NOT YET SOLVED ITS PROBLEMS AND NEEDS SEVERAL DECADES TO DO THAT. REVOLUTION, HE NOTED CANNOT BE EXPORTED. CHINA HAD NO INTENTION OF EXPORTING REVOLUTION ANYWHERE. ON OTHER HAND HE NOTED CHINA AND PAK READY EXERT COMMON EFFORTS FOR PROMOTING INTERNATIONAL SITUATION IN DIRECTION FAVORABLE FOR GETTING JUSTICE FOR KASHMIRI PEOPLE.

CHEN YI ALSO ALLUDED DIRECTLY TO TWO SESSIONS, FOUR HOURS IN ALL, HE HAD HAD WITH FOMIN BHUTTO DURING HIS DAYLONG STOPOVER IN KARACHI ENROUTE MALI. HE NOTED HE AND BHUTTO HAD REVIEWED WORLD SITUATION AND DISCUSSED WIDE RANGE OF SUBJECTS CONCERNING RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES AND THAT THEY HAD CONCLUDED WORLD SITUATION FAVORABLE FOR STRUGGLE AGAINST COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM IN ASIA, AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICA. HE CLAIMED HE AND FOMIN BHUTTO AGREED THAT CHINA AND PAK SHOULD MAKE JOINT EFFORTS FOR SUCCESS OF AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE TO BE HELD ALGIERS IN NOV SO AS TO CORRESPOND TO ASPIRATIONS OF PEOPLE OF ASIA AND AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICA "STRUGGLING FOR NATIONAL FREEDOM." HE EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT PROMOTION ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND COMMERCIAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGES BETWEEN PAK AND CHINA AND ALLUDED TO DISCUSSION WITH FOMIN BHUTTO OF QUESTION OF UTILIZATION OF 60 MILLION DOLLAR LOAN PRIVATELY MADE PAKS.

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AS FOR VIETNAM CHEN YI SAID DISTINCTION MUST BE MADE BETWEEN AGRESSOR AND AGRESSED. US WAS AGRESSOR IN VIETNAM AND ITS AGGRESSION HAD AROUSED RESISTANCE OF ENTIRE PEOPLE OF VIETNAM.. CHINA OF VIEW THAT NO REAL SOLUTION OF VIETNAM POSSIBLE UNLESS IT WAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH FOUR-POINT POSITION OF N. VIETNAMESE GOVT AND 5-POINT POSITION OF NATIONAL LIBERATION FRONT.. THAT WOULD MEAN COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICANS FROM VIETNAM. VIENAMESE PEOPLE, HE CLAIMED, READY

TO CONTINUE STRUGGLE AND CHINA HAS UNDERTAKEN GIVE ALL ASSISTANCE IN ITS POWER TILL THEY ACHIEVE THEIR OBJECTIVE. THOSE WHO ADVOCATED MEDIATION WELL MOTIVATED PERHAPS BUT THEY SERVE US IMPERIALISM AND THEIR ATTEMPTS DOOMED FAILURE. EXPRESSED OPTIMISM ABOUT TOTAL VICTORY OF VIETNAM PEOPLE. AS FINAL FILLIP, CHEN YI CLAIMED BHUTTO HAD GIVEN CAREFUL ATTENTION HISOPINION VIETNAM AND HAD AFFIRMED THAT PAK WOULD PURSUE INDEPENDENT FOREIGN POLICY ON ALL INERNATIONAL ISSUES. AGAIN ACCORDING CHEN YI BHUTTO HAD EXPRESSED HIS SYMPATHY WITH PEOPLE OF VIETNAM "IN THEIR STRUGGLE FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION.

AS WINDUP HIS STATEMENT CHEN YI NOTED HE HAD NO SPECIAL MISSION IN PAK BUT WAS ONLY IN TRANSIT TO MALI.

COMMENT: CHEN YI ADDED NOTHING FURTHER TO PAST PLEDGES OF SUPPORT BY CHINA TO GOP ON KASHMIR QUESTION. IN FACT HE TOOK CARE TO DISASSOCIATE CHINA FROM ACTIVE PARTICIPATION. ON ECONOMIC FRONT, HE CONFINED HIS REFERENCES TO PREVIOUS \$60 MILLION DOLLAR LOAN. SEEMS CLEAR THAT CHIEF USE CHEN YI PRESENCE AND NEWS BRIEFING IN KARACHI WAS FOR ITS SUGGESTIVE EFFECT UPON INDIANS. IN RETURN THAT SERVICE TO PAKS CHEN YI TOOK IT UPON HIMSELF TO STATE GOP POINT ON VIETNAM PERHAPS STRETCHED IT IN HIS FAVOR IN PROCESS--GIVING ILLUMINATING EXAMPLE OF CHINESE FACTURIES. MCCONAUGHY
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CHICOM FOMIN CHEN YI MADE ONE-DAY STOPOVER DAMASCUS SEPT

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INR CONFIRMED WITH AIR AUTHORITIES SINCE REFTEL.)
GIA ACCORDING RADIO KABUL 0800 CHEN MAKING "SHORT VISIT" KABUL,
NSA CALLED ON PRIMIN YUSUF 0730.
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AMB AND MANY OTHER AMERICANS OBSERVED CHEN DEPARTURE WHILE
OVERSEEING ARRIVAL AND LOADING FIVE USAF C-130'S
AIRLIFTING PESHAWAR AREA DEPENDENTS TO TURKEY. TAXYING C-130
INTERRUPTED CHEN'S EMBARKATION. CHICOM PARTY AND RGA
SEERS-OFF TEMPORARILY DISCOMMODED.

INDIAN EMB OFF PHONED 0930 TO CHECK STORY, CONCERNED
OVER IMPLICATIONS CHEN STOPOVER, THOUGHT (ERRONEOUSLY) CHEN
HAD ALSO STOPPED KARACHI.

COMMENT: IRONIC CHEN SHOULD VISIT HERE AGAINST BACKDROP
DRAMATIC US MIL AIRLIFT.

IN ABSENCE OTHER INFO, ASSUME CHEN SEIZED REFUELING
STOP AS PRETEXT FOR MAKING POLITICAL POINTS WITH RGA IN
CURRENT CRISIS. AFGHAN DISINTEREST IN POSSIBLE VISIT
SUGGESTED REFTEL. ENDEAVORING LEARN WHAT MAY HAVE DEVELOPED.
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NAM WITH FURTHER REF TO OUR IMMEDIATE 137 TO SECSTATE,
L FONGOFF (FARHADI) CALLED ME IMMEDIATELY ON MY
RETURN FROM AIRPT AT CONCLUSION OF AIR EVACUATION OF
375 PEOPLE OF WHICH LAST PLANE TOOK TO THE AIR 11:05 LOCAL TIME.
EO FARHADI MERELY MENTIONED IN PASSING CHEN YI PARKED PLANE MADE SO MUCH
NOISE THAT THE PROTOCOL FAREWELLS COULD NOT BE HEARD. FARHADI
SHEA SAID, "BUT IT REALLY DIDN'T MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE FOR WE HAD
MSG NOTHING MORE TO SAY ANYWAY."
ENR FARHADI REALLY CALLED TO SAY THAT CHEN YI INDICATED THAT
CIA CHICOM HAD DELAYED ULTIMATUM TO INDIA BY THREE DAYS IN ORDER
NSA TO GIVE FIGHTING OPPORTUNITY TO STOP. I WILL TRY AND FOLLOW
POD UP WITH FARHADI A BIT LATER, BUT I AM QUITE CERTAIN THIS
MSG MUST HAVE SOUNDED RATHER PAINFUL TO AFGHANS.

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PAGE TWO RUQVVR 431
FARHADI REPORTS CHEN YI HEADING STRAIGHT HOME.
AIRLINE OFFICIALS (ARIANA AMERICANS) (PROTECT SOURCE) GAVE
INTERESTING NEWS THAT CHEN YI HAD FILED FOR CLEARANCE OVER
TASHKENT WITH POSSIBLE LANDING ON WAY HOME. RUSSIANS HAD
RESPONDED BY SAYING TASHKENT CLOSED AND IN ORDER TO MAKE
STORY SEEM PLAUSIBLE TO AVOID HAVING TO RECEIVE
CHEN YI THEY HELD UP ARIANA FLIGHTS FOR TASHKENT AS WELL.
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CIA FONOFF INFORMS ME CONFIDENTIALLY CHEN YI RPT
NSA CHEN YI OVERFLYING AFGHANISTAN TODAY EN ROUTE HOME.
HIS FLIGHT PLAN WILL OVERFLY PART OF NORTH PAKISTAN
TOO. FONOFF KNOWS OF NO SCHEDULED STOP AND EXPRESSED
FERVENT HOPE HE WOULD NOT HAVE TO MAKE UNSCHEDULED STOP
IN AFGHANISTAN.

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CIA CHICOM DELEGATION LED BY CHEN YI LEFT CONAKRY AHEAD SCHEDULE
NSA AT 0010 MORNING SEPTEMBER 17 FOR PEKING. TOURE PERSONALLY
DOD SAW DELEGATION OFF AIRPORT. NO ANNOUNCEMENT SUBJECT TALKS
NIC OR COMMUNIQUE YET ISSUED BY GOG.
AID
PC ACCORDING ALGERIAN CHARGE PURPOSE CHEN YI VISIT WAS ATTEMPT
OBTAIN ASSURANCES FROM GOG THAT GUINEAN MEMBER BANDUNG II
PREPARATORY COMMISSION WOULD VOTE AGAINST SOVIET PARTICIPATION.
RSR HE SAID CHICOMS "SHAKEN" BY NASSER ANNOUNCEMENT FAVORABLE TO

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PAGE 2 RUTGHB 160C C O N F I D E N T I A L
SOVIET PARTICIPATION AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE. AS OF NOW, OF
NINE MEMBERS PREPARATORY COMMISSION, ONLY INDONESIA AND CHINA
ARE OPPOSED SOVIET PARTICIPATION. NIGERIA, INDIA, CEYLON
AND UAR WILL VOTE FOR; ALGERIA, MALI AND GUINEA WILL PROBABLY
ABSTAIN BUT WILL CERTAINLY NOT CAST NEGATIVE VOTE. SOVIET
PARTICIPATION IS THEREFORE CERTAIN AND CHEN YI VISIT TO
ALGERIA, MALI AND GUINEA WAS LAST MINUTE UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT
SWING AFRICAN OPINION IN FAVOR CH/NESE THESIS. LOEB
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RAWALPINDI'S 84

SHOAIB THIS AFTERNOON IN CONVERSATION REPORTED REFTEL TOLD ME WITH SOME RELISH THAT BHUTTO HAD BEEN STOOD UP BY CHEN YI YESTERDAY. BHUTTO MADE SPECIAL ONE-DAY TRIP TO KARACHI TO MEET CHEN YI WHO WAS TO STOP OFF THERE ON ROUTE HOME FROM IVORY COAST. BUT CHEN YI BYPASSED PAKISTAN AND BHUTTO'S TRIP WAS FRUITLESS. SHOAIB THOUGHT CHEN YI'S REVISED ITINERARY PLUS THREE-DAY POSTPONEMENT OF CHICOM ULTIMATUM TO GOI MIGHT INDICATE SOME CHICOM LOSS OF ZEST FOR SUB-CONTINENTAL BRINKMANSHIP.

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SEGOU VISIT PRAISED "DISINTERESTED" CHICOM AID BUT DID NOT
MENTION IMPERIALISM, ETC. BIG QUESTION IS WHAT, IF ANYTHING,
WAS AND WILL BE DECIDED IN TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS.

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REFERENCE: SAIGON'S 830 TO DEPT

1. RE CHEN YI'S VISIT TO DJAKARTA IN AUGUST, THERE WERE PROBABLY SOME DIFFERENCES BETWEEN CHICOMS AND INDOS THAN OVER RECOGNITION OF SINGAPORE AND PERHAPS ON SOME OTHER MATTERS SUCH AS INDO ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL DEMANDS AND INDO PRESSURES FOR CHICOM HELP IN GIVING INDO NUCLEAR WEAPON CAPACITY OR APPEARANCE THEREOF.

2. NEVERTHELESS, WE DOUBT THAT CHEN YI WOULD HAVE BEEN AS DEMONSTRABLY UNFRIENDLY TO INDO LEADERS AS DESCRIBED. ALL OVERT SIGNS POINT TO CONTINUING CLOSE INDO-CHICOM RELATIONSHIP INCLUDING STEADY FLOW OF INDO CABINET MINISTERS TO CHINA, PLANS FOR NEW CHICOM-INDO ECONOMIC COOPERATION TALKS, RECENT SIGNING OF NEW AGREEMENT FOR JOINT CONSTRUCTION OF CONEFO COMPLEX HERE AND VIRTUAL IDENTITY OF THEIR EXTERNAL PROPAGANDA THEMES, ESPECIALLY ON VIETNAM AND KASHMIR PROBLEMS.

3. FURTHERMORE, WE SEE NO EVIDENCE OF CHANGE IN PKI POLICY WHICH HAS BEEN AND REMAINS ONE OF CLOSE AGREEMENT WITH CHICOMS ON INTRA-BLOC ISSUES AND ON HARDLINE "ANTI-IMPERIALIST" STANCE. AT SAME TIME, PKI CONTINUES TO PURSUE NON-VIOLENT, UNITED FRONT TACTICS INTERNALLY AND ITS ANTI-SOVIET ATTITUDE EXTERNALLY REMAINS CONSIDERABLY LESS VITRIOLIC OR OPEN THAN THAT OF CHICOMS. THESE LONG-STANDING POSITIONS WERE REAFFIRMED BY AIDIT AFTER HIS RETURN FROM RECENT VISITS TO MOSCOW AND PEIPING. WE SEE NO EVIDENCE OF DEVELOPMENT OF "REVISIONIST" TENDENCIES IN PKI IN SENSE THAT TERM HAS BEEN USED BY PKI, NAMELY ANY FORM OF SUPPORT FOR PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE OR COMPROMISE WITH WEST.

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CHICTM DELEGATION LED BY FOREIGN MINISTER CHEN YI ARRIVED
CONAKRY FROM BAMAKO 9:30 THIS MORNING FOR TWO-DAY VISIT.

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NO ANNOUNCEMENT YET MADE OF DELEGATION'S NEXT STOP. SCHEDULED
DEPARTURE 1800 ON 17TH. GUINEAN INFORMATION MEDIA IN ANNOUNCING

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ARRIVAL DELEGATION STRESSED OPPORTUNITY FOR FRIENDLY CONSUL-

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TATIONS ON QUESTION OF ALGIERS CONFERENCE AND "THREATS TO

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L'ESSOR MORNING SEP 10 ANNOUNCED CHEN YI DUE DEPART BAMAKO FOR CONAKRY SEPT 14 AND NOT SEP 12 AS STATED REFTel. EVENING SEP 9 COOPERATION MINISTER N'DOURE INFORMED ME THAT CHEN COULD LEAVE AS LATE AS SEP 15 FOR HE FATIGUED AND DESIRES REST IN BAMAKO.

VARIOUS CHANGES IN DATES OF CHEN'S ARRIVAL, AND NOW UNCERTAINTY IN DEPARTURE DATE, LEADS ONE BELIEVE THERE LITTLE ADVANCE PLANNING CHEN'S VISIT AND CHINESE MAKING TRAVEL DECISIONS AS MOOD STRIKES THEM AT MOMENT.

CHEN BEGAN FORMAL DISCUSSIONS WITH PLAN MINISTER JEAN MARIE KONE AT PRESIDENTIAL PALACE MORNING SEP 10. DINNER ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR EVENING SEP 9 WAS CANCELLED LAST MINUTE ALSO SUPPOSEDLY BECAUSE OF CHEN'S FATIGUE.

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SHABB FRONT-PAGED CHEN YI DEPARTURE YESERDAY

UNDER HEADLINE. "CHEN YI CONFIRMS CHINA WILL DO EVERYTHING IN ITS POWER TO MAKE ASAF CONFERENCE SUCCESS".

(RSR)

ACCORDING SHAAB CHEN YI BEGAN HIS DEPARTURE STATEMENT BY NOTING THAT IN THREE MONTHS SINCE HE LAST HERE (FOR ABORTIVE BANDUNG MEETING), SITUATION HAD REMAINED STABLE, AS IN FACT IT WAS IN JUNE. "ALGERIANS ARE GOING ABOUT THEIR BUSINESS, BOTH DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN, IN ACCORDANCE THEIR GREAT TRADITIONS AND ARE MAKING PROGRESS IN EVERY RESPECT. THIS GUARANTEES BEST CONDITIONS FOR ASSURING SUCCESS OF ASAF CONFERENCE. AS IN PAST, CHINA WANTS TO COORDINATE

ITS EFFORTS WITH THOSE OF ALGERIA TO MAKE THIS CONFERENCE REAL SUCCESS".

RE VIETNAM, HE SAID: "WE INSIST THAT WITHOUT WITHDRAWAL US FORCES, HALTING OF SERIAL BOMBARDMENTS OF NORTH VIETNAM, ACCEPTANCE OF FOUR POINTS AND OF FIVEPOINTS PUT FORWARD RESPECTIVELY BY PRESIDENT OF REP OF NORN VIETNAM AND NLF OF VIETNAM (SIC) PROBLEM OF SOUTH VIETNAM CAN NEVER BE RESOLVED."

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-2- 523 SEPTEMBER 10 FROM ALGIERS

RE KASHMIR, HE SAID: "AT TIME WHEN IMPERIALISM IS STEPPING UP ITS AGGRESSION, INDIAN LEADERS INSTEAD OF SUPPORTING VIETNAMESE PEOPLE

^{SB} JHSDPORTKITS* TO ATTACK PAKISTAN. I BELIEVE TIME HAS COME FOR INDIAN LEADERS TO HALT THEIR ATTACKS, WITHDRAW THEIR FORCES AND NOT ADVANCE ANY FURTHER INTO THE BOG. PAKISTAN'S POSITION IS ONE OF LEGITIMATE SELF-DEFENCE. PEOPLE OF KASHMIR MUST BE GIVEN THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION".

MOUDJAHID PLAYED STORY INSIDE AND CONSIDERABLY BOILED DOWN KASHMIR REMARKS.

CHEN YI WAS SEEN OFF BY BITAT, PUBLIC WORKS MINISTER ALI YAHIA (BOUDEFLIKA HAD LEFT FOR ARAB SUMMIT) AND EX-AMBASSADOR IEKING AND NEW ALGIERS PREFECT YALA. NO ALGERIAN STATEMENTS OR JOINT COMMUNIQUE.

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ACCORDING SENIOR FONOFF OFFICIAL, CHEN-YI WILL NOT VISIT GHANA IN SEPTEMBER AS PREVIOUSLY PLANNED. WHILE SOURCE NOT PRIVY TO CORRESPONDENCE RE VISIT, HE UNDERSTANDS CHICOMS NOTIFIED GOG YESTERDAY OR DAY BEFORE THAT CHEN-YI COULD NOT INCLUDE GHANA ON THIS TRIP AFRICA.

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CHEN YI LEFT EARLY THIS MORNING FOR BAMAKO. PRESS COVERAGE HAS REMAINED MINIMAL AND WE UNAWARE OF ANY JOINT COMMUNIQUE BUT ACCORDING RADIO VERSION HIS DEPARTURE STATEMENT HE REITERATED CHICOM POSITION ON VIETNAM (WITHDRAWAL US AGGRESSORS, SETTLEMENT DEPENDS ON ACCEPTANCE "FOUR POINTS"), STRONGLY ATTACKED INDIANS AS AGGRESSORS AND AS OPPONENTS OF SELF-DETERMINATION, SOUNDLY ENDORSED CONVENING OF BANDUNG II IN ALGIERS AS SCHEDULED, AND PREFACED ALL THIS BY PRAISING

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NEW REGIME AND ITS ACCOMPLISHMENTS. IMPLICATION WAS THAT IN CONTRAST TO SOVIETS, CHICOMS WERE VERY MUCH ON SAME WAVELENGTH AS GOA AS REGARDS KEY QUESTIONS OF THE HOUR.

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CHEN YI ARRIVED BAMAKO MORNING SEPTEMBER 9 ABOARD SPECIAL CHINESE AIRLINES IL-18. CHINESE DELEGATION OF 16 INCLUDED FORMER CHINESE AMBASSADOR TO MALI LAI YA-LI. CHEN MET BY SENIOR MALI GOVERNMENT TEAM INCLUDING MINISTER PLAN JEAN-MARIE KONE, US-RDA POLITICAL SECRETARY IDRISSE DIARRA, FOREIGN MINISTER OUSMAN BA AND ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT HAIDARA. IN SHORT AIRPORT STATEMENT CHEN REFERRED TO CLOSE TIES BETWEEN CPR AND VM, WARM CHINESE FEELINGS FOR PRESIDENT KEITA DEVELOPED AFTER KEITA'S TRIP TO CHINA IN 1964 AND COMMON SOCIALIST EXPERIENCE BOTH COUNTRIES.

CHEN TO REMAIN IN MALI UNTIL MORNING SEPTEMBER 13 WHEN HE DUE FLY ON TO CONAKRY. SCHEDULED EVENTS INCLUDE ONE WORK SESSION WITH PRESIDENT KEITA, WHO ON VACATION HIS FARM OUTSIDE BAMAKO, SEVERAL LUNCHEES AND DINNERS WITH SENIOR MALI OFFICIALS, MEETING WITH NATIONAL POLITICAL BUREAUS OF US-RDA AND DOM RECEPTION EVENING 12 SEPTEMBER.

ONLY OFFICIAL MALI REACTION TO DATE HAS BEEN LAUDATORY EDITORIAL L'ESSOR SEPTEMBER 9 IN WHICH CHINA PRAISED FOR /ENORMOUS/

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ENORMOUS ACHIEVEMENTS SINCE REVOLUTION AND SINCERE INTEREST IN PRESERVING WORLD PEACE. UNLIKE IN FORMER DAYS, EDITORIAL DID NOT ATTACK WEST NOR DID IT MENTION FORMER POPULAR OPINION SUCH AS IMPERIALISTS, COLONIALISTS, ETC.

COMMENT: BEST GUESSING HERE NOW IS CHEN PRIMARILY INTERESTED IN DISCUSSING BANDUNG II WITH MALI HOSTS. ALGERIAN EMBASSY OFFICER TOLD EMBOFF SEPTEMBER 8 THAT THIS PRIMARY PURPOSE OF ENTIRE CHEN TRIP. FRENCH CHARGE, WHO TOGETHER WITH BRITISH CHARGE, WAS AT AIRPORT TO MEET CHEN, ALSO STATED THAT HE BELIEVED TRIP PRIMARILY INVOLVED BANDUNG CONFERENCE ALTHOUGH THERE IS ALWAYS OUTSIDE POSSIBILITY CHINESE WILL ARRIVE BEARING MORE GIFTS FOR MALIANS. INCLUSION LAI YA-LI IN DELEGATION IS INTERESTING AS CHINESE MALIAN RELATIONS HAVE BEEN MUCH LESS INTENSE SINCE LAI'S DEPARTURE IN EARLY JUNE.

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CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI DEPARTED DAMASCUS MORNING SEPT 7 DIRECT
FOR ALGIERS. CHANGE ITINERARY SEEMS AFFRONT TO UAR AND SUGGESTS
CHEN YI MAY BE SEEKING ALIGNMENT ALGERIANS AND RADICAL SARG
AGAINST "MOSCOW'S MAN" NASSER.

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 CHEN-YI SCHEDULED VISIT ACCRA SOMETIME SEPTEMBER.
 ACCORDING SOURCE, DATES VISIT NOT YET FIRM; PURPOSE IS TO
 DISCUSS MATTERS RELATING AFRO-ASIAN SUMMIT.
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PRESS STATES CHEN YI AS WELL AS AMIN HAFEZ AND ALI

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ALI AMER TO ARRIVE AIRPORT TODAY. LATTER TWO PRESUMALY

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IN TRANSIT FOR RABAT. NO INDICATION LENGTH CHEN YI'S STAY

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BUT PALAIS DU PEUPLE DECORATED WITH CPR FALAGS, SUGGESTING
HE MAY BE SPENDING NIGHT HERE AT LEAST.

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ALTHOUGH THERE MAY BE SOME BI-LATERAL PROBLEMS TO BE

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DISCUSSED (E.G., DISSOLUTION OF MILITIA WHICH CHICOMS HAD
EXPECTED EQUIP), ASSUME TALKS WOULD BE PRIMARILY RELATED
TO BANDUNG II. MOUDJAHID QUOTES BITAT WHO RETURNED ALGIERS
YESTERDAY AS SAYING HE HAD BEEN ASSURED BY SUKARNO, NE WIN,
CHOU EN LAI AND AYOUB THAT THEY WOULD PERSONALLY BE PRESENT
IN ALGIERS NOVEMBER 5. IT WOULD BE SURPRISING IF CHICOMS
DID NOT ATTEMPT TO PROFIT FROM HUMANITE'S ESPOUSING OF OP-
POSITION ELEMENTS AND ESPECIALLY FROM LATEST TRACT (PARIS
1214) WHICH WOULD SEEM EXPOSE SOVIETS TO CHARGE OF DELIB-
ERATELY TRYING SABOTAGE CONFERENCE.

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ACCORDING JOE SACKY, DIRECTOR, ASIAN DEPARTMENT FONOFF,
NKRUMAH IS STILL ENTERTAINING HOPES SOMETHING MAY COME OF
HIS RECENT EFFORTS MEDIATE VIET-NAM PROBLEM. SAID THAT WHILE
NKRUMAH FOR MOMENT HAS GIVEN UP PLANS VISIT HANOI, PRESIDENT
IS THINKING SERIOUSLY OF INVITING HO CHI MINH TO VISIT ACCRA
PRIOR AFRO-ASIAN SUMMIT.

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CHICOM FORMIN CHEN YI'S SYRIAN VISIT, FIRST ANNOUNCED AS
HOUR FUELING STOP THEN EXTENDED TO 2-DAY VISIT, NOW SCHEDULED
END LATE SEPT 7 WITH PARY'S DEPARTURE FOR MALI VIA CAIRO.

CHICOMS HAVE HAD MEETINGS WITH HIGHEST SARG OFFICIALS, BUT
SPECIFICS NOT ANNOUNCED. ACCORDING BAAITH PARTY DAILY, TALKS
ARE OF "GREAT SIGNIFICANCE RE RELATIONS BETWEEN SYRIA-CPR
AND AMONG NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES."

IN PUBLIC STATEMENT SEPT 5 CHEN YI STATED CHICOMS AND
PAGE 2 RUQMDM 023 C O N F I D E N T I A L
SYRIANS WILL COOPERATE AT BANDUNG II WHICH WILL BE HELD AS
SCHEDULED. HE EXPECTED CONFERENCE TO DISCUSS STRUGGLES OF
PEOPLES OF VIETNAM, CONGO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, PALESTINE VS.
IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION.

ALSO STATED: "WE CONDEMN AND RESIST AMERICAN IMPERIALIS.
ATTITUDE OF CPR AND SARG VS. IMPERIALISM ARE SAME." NO
STATEMENTS YET BY SARG OFFICIALS.

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-2- 85, SEPTEMBER 7, FROM DAMASCUS

WHILE CHEN YI EVIDENTLY SELF-INVITED GUEST, WE BELIEVE
SARG FLATTERED BY ATTENTION AND PROBABLY FINDS USEFUL THIS
SHOW CPR FRIENDSHIP FOLLOWING NASSER'S STATE VISIT TO MOSCOW.

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CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI STILL IN DAMASCUS ACCORDING CAIRO
 PRESS SEPT. 6 WHICH REPORTS UAR FONMIN MAHMUD RIAD WENT TO
 AIRPORT TO MEET CHEN YI SATURDAY, BUT CHEN YI FAILED APPEAR.
 RIAD PHONED DAMASCUS RE PLANE'S WHEREABOUTS, LEARNED CHEN YI
 HAD DECIDED EXTEND STAY DAMASCUS. SYRIANS HAD TRIED TO PHONE
 CAIRO BUT FAILED NO EXACT DATE NOW GIVEN FOR CHEN YI'S ARRIVAL.
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SINCE HE UNDERSTOOD CHEN-YI WOULD BE VISITING A NUMBER OF OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES. HE PROFESSED NOT TO KNOW WHICH ONES BUT BELIEVED HE WOULD BE ARRIVING IN MALI FROM ALGIERS. BA ADDED THAT AS FOREIGN MINISTER HE WOULD OF COURSE BE PART OF MALIAN DELEGATION BUT THAT KONE WOULD BE MINISTER PRIMARILY CONCERNED WITH VISIT.

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PEKING FONMIN CHEN YI AND ENTOURAGE IS STOPPING OFF
HERE FOR DAY ON WAY UAR AND MALI. HE HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY
PRESIDENT AND FONMIN. VISIT SO UNEXPECTED THAT HOTEL
GUESTS ROUTED OUT 4 A.M. TO MAKE SPACE. CHINESE STOPOVER
HERE EN ROUTE AFRICA BECOMING PATTERN BUT THIS TIME MAY
BE RELATED SARG-UAR DIFFERENCES AND NASSER'S MOSCOW TRIP.
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CHICOM FON MIN ARRIVED KARACHI

ACCORDING APP RELEASE DATED LINE KARACHI 1040 HOURS SEPT. 4, "VICE PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER, MR. CHEN YI, ARRIVED HERE THIS MORNING FOR DAY'S STAY ON WAY TO MALI. HE HEADING 15 MEMBER DELEGATION TO THAT COUNTRY. HE WAS RECEIVED AT AIRPORT BY FONMIN BHUTTO, FONSEC AZIZ AHMED, CHINESE AMBASSADOR THING KYO - YU, PROTOCOL CHIEF MAJOR GENERAL SHAUKAT ALI SHAN, COMMISSIONER KARACHI SYED DARBAR ALI SHAH, OFFICIALS OF CHINESE EMBASSY AND PROMINENT CITIZENS.

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TWO FONMINS SCHEDULED HAVE TWO ROUNDS OF TALKS TODAY. FONOFF WILL HOST LUNCH FOR VISITING DIGNITARY AND CHINESE EMBASSY LIKELY HOLD DINNER. HE SCHEDULED LEAVE BY SPECIAL CHINESE PLANE AT TWO A.M. TOMORROW."

MAAG OFFICER OBSERVED AT 10:45 HOURS SEPT 4 APPROXIMATELY TWELVE CAR MOTORCADE ARRIVING KARACHI VIA AIRPORT ROAD. TWO CARS DISPLAYING CHICOM FLAGS CARRIED TWO PASSENGERS EACH. ALL MOTORCADE PASSENGERS IN MUFTI.

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MINUTES OF POLITBUREAU AND COUNCIL OF MINISTERS MEETING MADE PUBLIC SEPT 3 STATED CHICOM DELEGATION LED BY FOREIGN MINISTER CHEN-YI WILL PAY SIX-DAY VISIT AT INVITATION GOM BEGINNING SOMETIME THIS WEEK. MINISTER STATE JEAN-MARIE KONE, FOREIGN MINISTER OUSMAN BA, AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION GOLOGO HEAD MALIAN DELEGATION WHO WILL ACCOMPANY CHICOM DELEGATION DURING VISIT.

SPECULATIONS RIFE AS TO REASON CHEN-YI TOUR BUT HARD INFORMATION LACKING. GENERAL ASSUMPTION IS THAT CHICOMS

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 ARE (1) SEEKING TO IMPROVE THEIR AFRICAN POSITION ERODED BY DOWNFALL BEN BELLA; (2) DESIROUS OF COUNTERING MALI'S RECENT MORE MODERATE FOREIGN POLICY; (3) ATTEMPTING BOLSTER SUPPORT FOR AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE; AND (4) SEEKING COUNTER RECENT SOVIET MOVES WGO GOM SUCH AS PROPOSED VISIT PRESIDENT KEITA USSR. GOM'S SERIOUS ECONOMIC SITUATION REMAINS UNRESOLVED, AND ANOTHER MAJOR QUESTION IS WHETHER OR NOT CHICOMS WILL ATTEMPT TAKE ADVANTAGE OF "INTERRUPTION" FRANCO-MALI ECONOMIC/ FINANCIAL NEGOTIATIONS.

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AUGUST 31 HUMANITE PRINTED AFP DESPATCH FROM PEKING QUOTING CHICOM OFFICIAL LIAO CH'ENG'CHIH THAT FONMIN CH'EN YI MIGHT VISIT FRANCE IF INVITED BY DEGAULLE BUT THAT TIME FOR SUCH TRIP HAS NOT YET ARRIVED. LIAO QUOTED AS SAYING THAT ONE SHOULD NOT COUNT ON RAPID PROGRESS IN DEVELOPMENT FRANCO-CHINESE DIPLOMATIC AND POLITICAL RELATIONS. LIAO REPORTEDLY MINIMIZED SIGNIFICANCE OF MALRAUX VISIT BY SAYING IT EXCLUSIVELY CONCERNED FRANCO-CHINESE RELATIONS AND PARTICULARLY CULTURAL

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PROBLEMS AND DENYING THAT CHINA WOULD DISCUSS VIETNAM PROBLEM IF ADMITTED TO UN SECURITY COUNCIL.

COMMENT: POINT THAT HUMANITE STRESSED IN ITS CAPTION WAS THAT RAPID IMPROVEMENT IN FRANCO-CHINESE RELATIONS IMPROBABLE.

FRENCH COMMUNISTS UNDOUBTEDLY RELIEVED AT THIS, WHICH PROBABLY ACCOUNTS FOR THEIR PRINTING NEWS IN HUMANITE. WHILE PCF HAS WELCOMED IMPROVEMENT FRANCO-SOVIET RELATIONS, IT CLEARLY DISLIKES INCREASE OF FRANCO-CHINESE CONNECTIONS ALTHOUGH OF COURSE IT CANNOT OPENLY ADMIT THIS. PCF ATTITUDE PRESUMABLY INFLUENCED BY CONTRADICTIONARY CONSIDERATIONS OF ITS GENERAL PRO-SOVIET ORIENTATION IN WHICH MEASURES ENHANCING CHINESE INTERNATIONAL POSITION WOULD TEND TO BE SEEN AS HARMFUL TO USSR AND CHAGRIN OVER WITNESSING DE GAULLE IMPLEMENT POLICIES WHICH HAVE LONG BEEN ON PCF PLATFORM.

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 SUBJECT: Syria Intensifying Relations with CPR and Indonesia
 REF :

Ba'th Party-controlled Syria, a maverick among the Arab states that openly and bitterly competes with Nasser for leadership of the Arabs and feels compelled to adopt the most extreme positions possible in Arab and foreign affairs, appears to be increasingly attracted by the positions and irresponsible bluster of Communist China and Indonesia.

Such intensifying of Damascus' relations with the Djakarta-Peiping axis may explain why Syria draws closer to Pakistan as Karachi draws closer to Peiping. (SARG has denounced US "economic pressure" on Pakistan--Embassy's A-69-- and has announced it will send a "public sector" industrial-commercial delegation to Karachi in the latter part of September.)

Following Foreign Minister MURAYWID's extended visit with a ministerial delegation to the CPR during March and April, Chicom Prime Minister Chou EN LAI paid two brief visits to Damascus in June (Embtels 884 and 1). A Syrian Teachers' Union delegation returned August 10 from a three week sojourn in Communist China. The joint communique (Syrian and Chinese teachers) issued after this visit consisted primarily of virulent anti-US propaganda, particularly on Vietnam (A-81, 8/17/65). Labor Union Confederation President, Khalid al-JUNDI,

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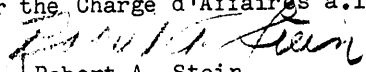
has been invited by the CPR Embassy in Damascus to send a five-man labor delegation to help celebrate a national fete in Peiping. According to a SARG announcement, a Chicom information delegation will be invited to visit Syria during October.

Syrian-Indonesian relations began stepping up with Deputy Prime Minister SUBANDRIO's visit to Damascus in July, during his Near Eastern-African tour. Subandrio was warmly received in Syria (in contrast with his reception in other Arab states). A Syrian-Indonesian cultural agreement was signed during the visit, and, in the joint communique issued, the SARG accepted, though somewhat obliquely, the Indonesian position on Malaysia. Syrian Foreign Minister Muraywid accompanied by Ba'th Party Assistant Secretary General Shibli al-'ISAMI returned Subandrio's visit to Damascus by attending Indonesian Independence Day festivities. SUKARNO, in his speech marking the anniversary as reported here, congratulated Syria and its present regime for their prominence in the "holy struggle" against imperialism. The local press gave full play to Sukarno's laudatory allusions to the SARG as well as to the remainder of his anti-US tirade. Muraywid's conversations with CPR Foreign Minister Chen YI in Djakarta were also prominently reported by SARG media.

COMMENT: This drift or movement toward Communist China and Indonesia has not been accompanied to date by benefits for Syria other than vocal support of SARG against Israel. In our opinion SARG is not primarily reacting against US and Western "imperialism." SARG is isolated from the other Arab governments, and is seeking friends further afield among the "socialist" countries, preferably among those which are extremist and uncompromising.

Also we believe SARG is impatient with the Soviet Union's unwillingness to side with the Ba'th against Nasser and to condemn Israel as recklessly as the CPR does. The extent of SARG's impatience with the USSR may be clarified when SARG has to make known its position on the question of inviting the Soviet Union to participate in Bandung II at Algiers in November. Had the conference been held on schedule in June, we believe Syria would have voted for Soviet participation. While the Soviets cannot be pleased by the continuing public gestures of friendship the Syrians and Chicoms are making toward each other, we are not aware of the Russians having yet given serious warning to or taken retaliatory steps against SARG.

For the Charge d'Affaires a.i.


Robert A. Stein
First Secretary of Embassy

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1. LOCAL MOVIE HOUSES NOW SHOWING ITS BLACK AND WHITE 15-MINUTE ENGLISH DOCUMENTARY "CHOU EN LAI VISIT TO TANZANIA. FILM MADE NO MENTION US, CONGO, VIETNAM OR DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. QUOTES NYENERE ON URT NON-ALIGNMENT AND GLOSSES OVER CHOU STADIUM SPEECH WITH QUOTAS LIMITED PRAISE AFRICAN UNITY AND UNION TANZANIA AND ZANZIBAR. ON JOINT COMMUNIQUE MENTIONED ONLY SECTION ON NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT.

2. WHILE SOME REFERENCE MADE TO IMPERIALISM AND FILM QUOTED TANU ELDER STATEMENT COLONIALISTS LEFT URT WITH ONLY HER ANIMALS, ANTI-IMPERIALIST THEMES VERY SUBDUED.

3. THIS SANITIZATION CHOU'S VISIT IN FILM FOR LOCAL CONSUMPTION IS INTERESTING INDICATION LOCAL ATMOSPHERE.

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1. ACCORDING ANTARA, SUBANDRIO ANNOUNCED
DOD ON AUGUST 12 THAT CHICOM FOREIGN MIN CHEN YI WOULD
NIC ARRIVE IN DJAKARTA "SOON" FOR "IMPORTANT
AID TALKS" WITH GOI CONCERNING "VARIOUS WORLD PROBLEMS OF
CURRENT INTEREST AND CONCERNING STRUGGLE TO CRUSH
NEKOLIM".

2. WE ASSUME TALKS WILL RELATE TO MALAYSIA-
RSR SINGAPORE DEVELOPMENTS AND QUESTION OF RECOGNITION.
ALTHOUGH CHICOM PARLIAMENTARY DEL NOW HERE IS
ALREADY DESIGNATED TO REPRESENT CHINESE AT
AUGUST 17 CELEBRATION OF TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY
INDO INDEPENDENCE, IT IS NOT UNLILELY THAT
CHEN YI WOULD ARRIVE IN TIME TO RAISE REPRESENTATION
OF INDO'S CLOSEST FRIEND AT EVENT OF
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I MENTIONED TO CHIANG CHING-KUO TODAY STRONG US DESIRE FOR
MILITARY IMPLICATIONS OF KY VISIT NOT BE PLAYED UP.

CHIANG SAID SAMPSON SHEN HAD REPORTED TO HIM MY CONVERSATION OF
AUGUST 6. HE STATED THAT HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT SUBJECTS
WISHED TO DISCUSS, AS KY HAD SAID HE WOULD INFORM GRC WHEN HE
ARRIVED. CHIANG ASSURED ME THAT GRC WOULD STAY IN LINE WITH US
POLICY DURING VISIT. HE ADDED THEY WOULD LISTEN TO WHAT WE HAD
TO SAY AND WOULD KEEP US INFORMED. GP-1 CLOUGH
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CONTROVERSY OVER WHETHER JAPANESE EX-IM BANK SHOULD PROVIDE CREDIT FOR PLANT AND SHIP SALES TO CHICOMS HAS BEEN REVIVED IN PAST SEVERAL DAYS AS RESULT INTERPELLATIONS IN DIET ON YOSHIDA LETTER AMND RASH OF SOMETIMES CONTRADICTORY STATEMENTS TO DIET AND PRESS BY TOP GOJ OFFICIALS, TOGETHER WITH EFFORTS OF VISITING CHICOM TRADE OFFICIALS, NOTABLY NAN HAN-CHEN. MITI MINISTER MIKI WAS QUOTED IN JULY 26 JAPAN TIMES INTERVIEW AS "PLANNING TO USE JAPAN'S EX-IM BANK FUNDS TO FINANCE JAPANESE DEFERRED PAYMENT TRADE WITH CHICOMS AFTER CONSIDERING TRANSACTIONS ON CASE BY CASE BASIS". FONMIN SHIINA POLITICAL SPEECH JULY 30 (EMBTel 369) ALSO INDICATED INTENTION EXPAND TRADE WITH CHICOMS. MIKI PRECIPITATED CONTROVERSY AUGUST 2 BY TELLING HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE FOR COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (ACCORDING ASAHI AND MAINICHI --ALL SUBSEQUENT REFERENCES TO NEWSPAPERS ARE VERNACULAR WITH EXCEPTION OF JAPAN TIMES) THAT JAPAN'S TRADE WITH COMMUNIST COUNTRIES -- INCLUDING COMMUNIST CHINA -- SHOULD BE EXPANDED AND THAT, RE JAPAN-CHICOM TRADE EXPANSION, HE DOES NOT BELIEVE GOJ BOUND BY YOSHIDA LETTER AND GOJ SHOULD MAKE ITS "OWN JUDGEMENT" REGARDLESS OF "FOREIGN INTERVENTION".

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1. AS FOMMIN SHEN CHANG-HUAN NOT AVAILABLE, I CALLED ON VICE MINISTER SAMPSON SHEN AUG 6. IN RESPONSE TO QUERY AS TO PURPOSE OF KY VISIT, SHEN REPLIED GRC HAD NOT YET BEEN INFORMED AS TO SUBJECTS KY WISHED DISCUSS. GRC AMBASSADOR WILL RETURN TAIPEI ABOUT AUG 10 AND MORE INFORMATION MAY BE AVAILABLE AT THAT TIME. SHEN SAID KY VISIT ORIGINALLY BROACHED BY GVN TO

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GRC AMBASSADOR JULY 28. KY HAD INDICATED HE DESIRED VISIT SEVERAL FAR EASTERN COUNTRIES AND GRC HAD THEN ISSUED INVITATION.

2. I TOLD SHEN USG CONCERNED WITH MILITARY IMPLICATIONS OF KY VISIT, SUCH AS POSSIBLE GRC TROOP CONTRIBUTION TO VIETNAM OR MILITARY ALLIANCE MIGHT BE PLAYED UP. SUCH PUBLICITY WOULD HAVE HARMFUL EFFECT ON SUPPORT IN OTHER PARTS OF WORLD FOR GVN AND US VIETNAM POLICY. IT MIGHT ALSO PROVOKE CHINESE COMMUNIST REACTION. SHEN SAID GRC HAD GIVEN THOUGHT TO THIS PROBLEM AND INTENDED TO PLAY UP ECONOMIC ASPECT OF VISIT, SUCH AS INSPECTION LAND REFORM PROGRAM AND AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT. I SAID I WAS SURE WASHINGTON WOULD BE GLAD TO HEAR THIS. I ADDED THAT IN LIGHT OF HEAVY US RESPONSIBILITIES IN VIETNAM, WE WOULD EXPECT TO BE CONSULTED SHOULD VGC AND

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GVN CONSIDER ANY GRC TROOP CONCENTRATION. SHEN REPLIED HE COULD ASSURE US THAT HE WOULD NOT MENTIONED THAT WE HAD ALSO EXPRESSED OUR CONCERN TO GVN.

3. I REFERRED TO THE MANY RECENT STATEMENTS IN PRESS CALLING FOR DISPATCH OF GRC TROOPS FOR VOLUNTEERS TO VIETNAM, AND SAID IT WOULD BE UNFORTUNATE IF SIMILAR STATEMENTS CONTINUED TO BE PLAYED UP DURING KY VISIT AS IMPRESSION WOULD

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INEVITABLY BE CREATED THIS WAS SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION BETWEEN GRC AND GVN. SHEN REPLIED THAT GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES WOULD BE VERY CAREFUL WHAT THEY SAID TO PRESS DURING KY VISIT.

4. I INQUIRED WHETHER SHEN FORESEW ANY PROBLEMS AS RESULT OF FACT KY VISIT WOULD COINCIDE WITH MINISTER SHEN'S VISIT TO JAPAN. SHEN SAID HE THOUGHT MAJOR ISSUE DURING SHEN'S JAPANESE VISIT WOULD BE DELICATE PROBLEM OF YOSHIDA LETTER WHICH HAD ATTRACTED MUCH ATTENTION IN JAPAN PRESS LAST FEW DAYS.

5. SHEN THEN INQUIRED WHETHER US SUPPORTED KY. I ASSURED HIM WE DID AND HE SAID HE WAS GLAD TO HEAR THIS AS THEY HAD HEARD MANY REMORS FROM SAIGON OF MANEUVERINGS AGAINST KY.

6. COMMENT: SAMPSON SHEN HAS ONLY BEEN ON HIS NEW JOB A WEEK AND MAY NOT BE FULLY CONVERSANT WITH PRESIDENT CHIANG'S VIEWS ON VIETNAM AND KY VISIT. HOWEVER, BELIEVE HIS STATEMENTS REPRESENT PRESENT ROMAN THINKING ON HANDLING OF KY VISIT. ALSO BELIEVE EXPRESSION US CONCERN WILL BE TAKEN SERIOUSLY AND CAREFUL THOUGHT WILL BE GIVEN TO PUBLIC ASPECTS OF KY VISIT. WE WILL SEEK OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO EXPRESS US

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CONCERN. AS TO ACTUAL CONTENT OF TALKS, WE SUSPECT POSSIBILITY OF GRC MILITARY CONTRIBUTION WILL BE EXPLORED, ALTHOUGH WE

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DOUBT ANY CONCRETE AGREEMENT WILL BE REACHED AT THIS TIME. BOTH GRC AND GVN WERE REPORTED TO BE DISCUSSING CLOSER COOPERATION AMONG ANTI-COMMUNIST FAR EASTERN COUNTRIES, BUT HERE AGAIN WE WOULD EXPECT CONVERSATIONS TO BE EXPLORATORY RATHER THAN AIMING AT DEFINITE AGREEMENT.

7. INCIDENTALLY, GRC APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN MORE FORTH- COMING IN ADVISING US OF KY VISIT THAN EITHER THAIS OR GVN, AS WE WERE FIRST INFORMED BY CHIANG CHENG-KUO JULY 30, ONLY TWO DAYS AFTER SHEN SAYS VISIT WAS FIRST BROACHED BY GVN.

8. FURTHER COMMENT ON IMPLICATIONS OF VISIT BY OTHER CHANNELS. CLOUGH
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TO INTERVENTION IN JAPAN'S DOMESTIC AFFAIRS AND CLEAR DEVIATION
FROM PURPOSES FOR WHICH MAN ADMITTED TO JAPAN.

ACCORDING PRESS ACCOUNTS MAN AUGUST 3 SPEECH BEFORE ORGANI-
ZATIONS INTERESTED IN PROMOTING JAPAN-CHICOM TRADE INCLUDED
FOLLOWING STATEMENTS: (1) FACT RGJ HU TAKEN HOSTILE POLICY,
TRAILING AFTER U.S. IMPERIALISM, HAD INFLUENCED JAPAN-CHICOM

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TRADE, AND SINCE GOJ HAD PLACED OBSTACLES IN WAY EXPANSION
SUCH TRADE, OBSTACLES OBVIOUSLY COULD NOT BE ELIMINATED
UNLESS GOJ TOOK NECESSARY MEASURES; (2) NAN COULD UNDER-
STAND VERY NATURAL CONCERN OF JAPANESE TRADE AND INDUSTRY
CIRCLES THAT IF GOJ SUPPORTED U.S. IMPERIALISM AND AGGRES-
SION AGAINST VIETNAM THIS WOULD INEVITABLY AFFECT JAPAN-CHICOM
TRADE; (3) IF GOJ CONTINUED ADHERING TO U.S. IMPERIALISM THIS
WOULD NOT ONLY AFFECT JAPAN-CHICOM RELATIONS BUT ALSO BE
EXTREMELY DISADVANTAGEOUS FOR JAPAN. JAPAN TIMES REPORTS
JUSTICE MINISTRY SAME DAY WARNED GENSUIKYO THAT NAN'S STATE-
MENTS WERE "IMPROPER AND REGRETTABLE."

SHIMODA ACCORDING PRESS SAID NO PRESENT PLANS TO OUST NAN
BEFORE PRESENT PERIOD OF STAY EXPIRES BUT HE LIKELY HAVE
DIFFICULTY GETTING EXTENSION OF STAY OR VISA ON SUBSEQUENT
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FROM : American Embassy Baghdad *G/AM S/AM* DATE: July 28, 1965

SUBJECT: Chou En-lai Reportedly Seeking Official Invitation to Iraq.

REF :

Indian Ambassador to Iraq Sadath Ali Khan told me July 27 that during his call on Foreign Under Secretary Kadhim Khalaf on July 26 Khalaf informed him of several approaches by the Chicoms Embassy in Baghdad seeking an official invitation for a state visit to Iraq, apparently around the time of the postponed Asian-African Conference now scheduled for November in Algiers. While I gathered from Khan that Khalaf avoided stating categorically there would be no such invitation, Khan's impression was that there was no Iraqi enthusiasm at all and no current disposition to issue an invitation. It should be recalled that some weeks prior to the abortive Algiers Conference Chou's aircraft set down briefly in Baghdad and Chou conferred something over an hour with President Aref at the Palace. Later Chou overflew Iraq and transmitted a greeting from the aircraft.

During our talk, Khan speculated what the Red Chinese objectives were in Iraq and the nature of their activities. He said he lacked hard information but doubted the Chinese had created much of a local apparatus. He shared my view that the Chinese were somewhat isolated, that Iraqis frequently ignored them or showed them minimum courtesy, and that currently both the Iraqis and Red Chinese were taking a longrange view, the Iraqis regarding the Chicoms as a potential market some years hence and a distant hedge against both the Soviets and the West, while the Chicoms might regard Iraq as a potential political recruit as well as a market and a source of foodstuffs and oil.

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Khan regarded Red China, Indonesia and Pakistan as a troika operating against India and obviously considers that Indian links with the US and the Soviets are necessary to form a countervailing troika. He believes that Iraq will continue to have a much closer relationship with the Soviet Union than with Red China for a long time to come, that Iraq fears and suspects Red China far more than the Soviet Union, that despite current Soviet-Iraqi difficulties Iraq will continue to believe it needs the Soviets badly, and that therefore Soviet-Iraqi relations eventually will improve.

Comment: Khan was more informative than usual. He is a reasonably accurate observer and a good analyst. Basically he appears to have little animus if any against the West, has never shown sympathy for the Red Chinese and maintains good contacts with both Western and Soviet Bloc diplomats as well as with Iraqi officials.

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 IS DELEGATION HEAD, NAN HAN-CHEN DEPUTY LEADER, OTHER FULL
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			<p>The Chou En Lai visit to Tanzania (June 4 to 8) publicly produced repeated protestations of non-alignment from Tanzanian officials and strident denunciations of the United States by Chou. However, the visit was culminated by the issuance of a joint communique which was a clear propaganda gain for the Chicoms. The following is an account of the visit including observations and comments made by various individuals in and out of government.</p>					
			<p>I. <u>Background of the Visit</u></p> <p>Chou en Lai was originally scheduled to visit Tanzania (then Tanganyika) during his African trip of 1963/64. This visit, however, was aborted by the mutiny of the Tanganyika Rifles in January, 1964.</p> <p>During his visit to Peking in February, 1965, President Nyerere invited the Chicom leader to visit Tanzania and the invitation was accepted. It was, therefore, not unexpected for Chou to show up in Tanzania.</p>					
			<p>II. <u>Tanzanian Preparations for the Visit</u></p> <p>The first indication of the timing of the Chou En Lai visit to Tanzania was given by Oscar Kambona in a speech in Tanga in early April. In his speech Kambona mentioned that Chou En Lai would visit Tanzania in June or July (Embassy telegram 2184). However, only the Swahili press picked up this portion of the speech.</p>					
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The Government of Tanzania maintained a curious silence concerning the visit. From May 1 to May 22 no Government statement was made. The proposed visit was no secret to the press. On May 22 a terse announcement was made by the Ministry of Information that "at the invitation of the President of Tanzania, Chou En Lai will pay a friendly visit to Tanzania early in June." No further announcement was made or any details published concerning the visit by the Government of Tanzania until June 3, although preparations were being made for the visit. Banners were set up on the route from the airport to State House, 25,000 Chou photographs were printed and paper Chinese flags were prepared for distribution.

Although part of the reason may have been the Chicom preoccupation with security, there were indications of Chicom-Tanzanian differences over the length of the visit and the program. Chou's arrival date was apparently changed twice; from June 2 to June 3 and then to June 4. The printing of official programs and banquet menus was held up as no dates had been received for insertion. There apparently was a dispute over the length of the Chou visit. The Tanzanians were reportedly insisting on 72 hours while the Chicoms argued for more time. It appears that the four days decided on was a compromise.

Certain problems also appeared to have arisen in connection with an upcountry tour by Chou en Lai. The original schedule is understood to have called for a one day trip to northern Tanzania and included visits to Moshi, Arusha, Mwanza and a flight over Bukoba. Chicom security agents were in northern Tanzania making preparations for the visit with Tanzanian regional authorities. The Arusha visit was first cancelled. An American missionary in Moshi was told by a Tanzanian official that on June 1 the entire upcountry tour was cancelled and that Chicom security agents were abruptly called back to Dar es Salaam after having completed a four day survey.

III. Chou's Arrival

Tanzanians were urged by Government, labor and TANU officials to go all out in welcoming Chou En Lai. In a speech in Morogoro some days before Chou's arrival, Kambona urged all Tanzanians to go to Dar (126 miles away) to welcome Chou. All TANU cell leaders were instructed to turn out their entire cells. All civil servants and other government employees were instructed to turn out to welcome Chou. Residents of the African sections of town were allotted specific points along the motor cavalcade route from the airport to State House. Despite the careful preparations and exhortations to attend, observers consider that the number of people who turned out was less than the number who greeted Haile Selassie or Sekou Toure on their state visits. Interestingly, Chou's date of arrival was not

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declared a public holiday as were the days Selassie, Toure and Tubman arrived in Tanzania.

Chou en Lai arrived at 11:00 AM on June 4. He was welcomed at the airport by the President, both Vice Presidents and a large crowd of Government officials, diplomats, TANU and NUTA personnel. A number of native dance groups gave a festive atmosphere to the welcoming ceremonies.

Chou received a nineteen gun salute with British ammunition which the Tanzanians had to request from the British High Commission. He inspected a guard of honor and was then escorted into Nyerere's open-backed Rolls Royce and proceeded in a motor cavalcade to State House. He was accompanied by, among others, the officials listed in Enclosure Number 1.

Chou anticipated being asked to make a few remarks at the airport and the statement was ready (Enclosure Number 2). He was not given the opportunity of doing so but instead was taken directly to the Rolls. Uhuru, the TANU Swahili newspaper, confirmed the above which first came to us as a newsmen's rumor. Uhuru noted that "he (Chou) was expected to read a message to the people of Tanzania from the people of China, but unfortunately he did not get the chance to read the message. The message was given to Tanzania journalists by President Nyerere."

Security precautions were tight at the airport as well as along the route. Tanzanian police were given firm instructions by Chicoms security agents and were zealous in performing their duties. A British expatriate who was at the airport said he witnessed the arrest by Tanzanian police of two Chinese, approximately age 21, who were standing in a restricted area. They were taken to Central Police Headquarters where after frantic telephone calls to the Chicoms Embassy, they were released. They turned out to be the older children of Ho Lin, a local Chinese businessman who fronts for the Chicoms and is reportedly one of their "bagmen".

IV. The Motor Cavalcade

The motor cavalcade was preceded by a TANU official whose task was (1) to instruct Tanzanians to get off high places and down to ground level and (2) to whip up enthusiasm. He exhorted the crowd to chant "Chou En Lai - Nye-re-re", which came back from the people as "Chou en Lai - Ray Ray Ray." Armed police guarded the route and were stationed on the rooftops. Residents of buildings overlooking the route were waved away from their windows. The procession passed under at least one arch on which there were slogans which according to Uhuru were "written in the Chinese language to enable Premier Chou En Lai to read the real feelings of the people of Tanzania toward friendship and unity." The text for the signs was provided by the Chicoms and again according to Uhuru criticized the

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imperialists and their tools, especially American imperialists in Vietnam and the Congo.

Throughout the Chou En Lai visit, Uhuru probably carried the most laudatory and blatantly pro-Chicom articles. This may have been partly due to the influence of W. Bhukoli, the editor and ex-President of the Tanganyika Institute of Journalists, who recently returned from a tour of China. According to an Uhuru article entitled "False Report", the imperialist newspapers deliberately falsified the number of cars which went to the airport to welcome Chou, one reporting only 100 and the other not more than 500. Uhuru said it wished to correct this error and said the number of cars exceeded 500. Further, during the visit Uhuru consistently referred to the honored guest as the Honorable Comrade Chou En Lai.

The spectators near the British American Tobacco Company on the airport road were routed by a swarm of imperialist bees which had been disturbed. According to some reports the Rolls Royce had to be quickly closed to prevent Chou and Nyerere from being stung.

The cavalcade wound its way from the airport, dutifully but not particularly enthusiastically cheered by the spectators lining the route. At the vantage point from which the reporting officer viewed the procession, Nyerere and Chou riding in the open Rolls received the most cheers. The next loudest cheers were given to Babu when he rode by.

Entering the State House grounds, Chou passed between two lines of Tanzanians drawn from all walks of life, greeted the President's mother on the steps of State House and as Radio Tanzania reported joined President Nyerere at a reception where they partook of soft drinks.

V. The First Day: (June 4, 1965)

During his entire visit Chou En Lai stayed at State House. The first afternoon was free. That evening President Nyerere hosted a state banquet for his guest.

Nyerere's speech at the banquet (Enclosure Number 3) was the first of three speeches he made in which he clearly stated the Tanzanian policy of non-alignment. Nyerere expressed his appreciation for the welcome he had received in Peking. He contrasted the Tanzanian road to independence with that of the Chicoms, and described the long march in 1934. Nyerere spoke of Tanzania's long march, an economic one, toward a better life. He said that Tanzania could learn from the Chinese revolution; that enthusiasm, courage and endurance are not enough. There must also be discipline and the intelligent application of policies to the needs and circumstances of the country and the time.

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Nyerere's speech ended with a passage that was to be echoed in his other speeches, by the First Vice President on Zanzibar and by the local press, except for the somewhat dissonant tone of the joint communique: "Happily we shall enter into agreements and contracts for trade and economic assistance with friendly peoples and nations from all parts of the globe. But from no quarter shall we accept direction, or neo-colonialism, and at no time shall we lower our guard against the subversion of our Government, or our people. Neither our principles, our country, nor our freedom to determine our own future are for sale."

Chou's banquet speech (Enclosure Number 4) was general in nature and the most moderate of the speeches he made during the visit. He expressed his thanks for the reception given to him by Tanzania. He praised the Tanzanians for relying on their own efforts, hard work and thrift in building their country and their determination to eliminate poverty and backwardness caused by colonial rule. Chou added this was the only dependable road for emerging nations to follow.

Chou praised the struggle of Tanzania against imperialism and their guarding of their independence against "imperialist plots to subvert their state" (underlining added). Finally, Chou mentioned Sino-Tanzanian ties stretching back 900 years, which must have been a surprise to the Tanzanians present at the banquet.

In an obvious release from the New China News Agency, TANU's Swahili daily Uhuru echoed Chou En Lai's remarks. In its article "Tanzania and Chinese Friendship Since the Days of Our Grandfathers", the NCNA and Uhuru took Sino-Tanzanian friendship back to the seventh century. The article said that as early as 618 AD, the Chinese and Swahili peoples were friends and cooperated in trade. In 975 AD the Swahilis and Chinese were trading silk and raw materials. In 1071 the King of Zeng sent horns to China during the reign of King Sung. The Swahili sent delegates to China, once during the Sung regime 960 to 1279 AD and during the Ming regime 1328-1644.

However, when the imperialists entered East Africa, this friendship was destroyed. Now that Tanzania has achieved independence and formed a revolutionary government, these two countries are friends again guided by the five rules of peaceful coexistence and the ten principles of the Bandung Conference.

VI. The Second Day: (June 5, 1965)

Chou En Lai and Nyerere reportedly discussed matters of "mutual interest" in the morning of June 5. The meetings were attended by members of the Tanzanian cabinet and Chicom delegation.

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At noon, the Mayor of Dar es Salaam and the City Council held a reception for Chou. At the reception, the mayor, Mr. Kirundu, said that Tanzania was pleased to see that friendship between the two countries was developing. Although Tanzanians are few in comparison to Chinese, they are attempting to work diligently toward making the ambitious Five Year Plan a success.

In his response, Chou gave no indication of the distribe he was to launch in the afternoon. He said that he discovered Tanzanians knew which countries extended true friendship and which did not. The people of Tanzania were ready to learn from neighboring and friendly countries such as China. He praised the Tanzanians for achieving their independence and for their achievements under the Five Year Plan.

That afternoon, Chou En Lai accompanied by President Nyerere arrived at the National Stadium where Chou was to address a mass rally. The Nationalist described the crowds as numbering in the tens of thousands. However, the reporting officer noted that the stadium was not completely filled by any means. The crowd probably numbered about 25,000 to 30,000 in a stadium which holds 60,000 when filled.

Before his stadium speech Chou was treated to a display by various organizations in Tanzania such as the Tanzania Peoples Defense Forces, Police, National Service and TANU Youth League. The display was accompanied by the combined Police and Army bands which played sprightly British tunes for the occasion. Following traditional tribal dances, there was a huge march past in which units from all Tanzanian public organizations participated. The motorized part of the march past included trucks from the Army, police, National Service, British-American Tobacco Company, and the Coca Cola Company whose red and white sign was the brightest by far.

In his introductory speech, President Nyerere confined himself to non-political remarks. He referred to the postponement of Chou En Lai's visit in 1964 but added this now offered Chou the opportunity to visit Tanzania instead of Tanganyika. He said that there was an excellent revolutionary situation in Africa, but the imperialists thought they could go on exploiting Africa as they believed Africa was still asleep. Now Tanzania was engaged in a revolutionary battle - against poverty, ignorance and disease. This requires sacrifices and all the effort of the Tanzanian people, but is a battle which they shall win. Nyerere referred to the assistance received from the Chinese in the struggle for a better standard of living and lauded the close bonds of friendship between the two countries.

Chou En Lai then launched into one of the most vituperative speeches ever heard in Dar es Salaam (Enclosure Number 5). The speech was almost exclusively

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concentrated on the United States. In rapid succession Chou referred to the "subversive plots" of the imperialists and expulsion of the "US Diplomats involved", US attempts at world hegemony, use of neo-colonialist methods of rule, armed intervention and genocide in the Congo, armed aggression against the Dominican Republic, tearing Geneva accords to shred and aggression in Vietnam. Finally Chou referred to the importance of the Second Afro-Asian Conference saying it was imperative for the Afro-Asian countries to give full play to the Bandung spirit, unite still more closely, strengthen their cooperation and fight together against the imperialist policies of aggression and war, to win and safeguard their national independence, develop their national economies and defend world peace. Therefore, it will be of tremendous importance to make the second Afro-Asian Conference a success.

Crowds at the National Stadium were in a festive mood and enjoyed the show before the speeches. Chou's speech failed to rouse much enthusiasm as it was long and had been preceded by a lengthy program. It was read from a prepared text in Swahili by a Chinese woman. During the speech many of the Africans farthest away from the grandstand started leaving the stadium.

Only two parts of the speech really elicited any reaction from the crowd. Chou's opening remarks in Chinese evoked laughter from the Africans who had never heard its sing-song quality before. The mention of 650 million Chinese sending their greetings to Tanzania brought a gasp of astonishment from the crowd.

VII. The Third Day: (June 6, 1965)

Chou's visit to Zanzibar was a repetition of his National Stadium appearance the day before -- Tanzanian non-alignment and Chicom invective.

First Vice President Karume extolled the union of Tanganyika and Zanzibar and President Nyerere. He thanked the Chinese for their aid as well as the German Democratic Republic and "several other countries." However, he added that no aid received by Tanzania could make it change its policy.

In his speech (Enclosure Number 6), Chou continued his campaign of vilification against the United States. The theme was the same as the day before -- only the location was different. He again labelled US imperialism as the root cause of all evils and the common enemy of the people of Asia, Africa and the whole world.

Our Consulate in Zanzibar reported that the crowds which welcomed Chou En Lai were large, as all were ordered to turn out, but not very enthusiastic. About 10% of the crowd departed during Chou's speech, probably out of sheer boredom.

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The Soviet attitude toward the Chou visit may well be reflected by the actions of their press representatives in Dar and Zanzibar. It became evident in connection with Chou En Lai's Zanzibar visit. The TASS representative in Dar es Salaam told an Embassy officer that he was not filing any copy for his news agency. He said it could get its coverage from MCNA. Also, the TASS correspondent in Zanzibar decided to take his vacation at the same time Chou was travelling to Zanzibar. Thus, while Chou was in Zanzibar, the TASS representative was on the mainland.

Further, a correspondent for a Soviet monthly magazine said he had attempted to fly to Zanzibar in the plane provided for the press, but was unable to obtain press credentials. However, other reporters had no difficulty in obtaining credentials, including some who applied just before the flight was scheduled to depart Dar. It appears that the Soviets boycotted the entire visit and struck a pose of indifference to the entire affair.

A secondary effect noted by our Consul there was that the following day Vice President Karume went out of his way to be friendly to him and settled promptly some matters which had been outstanding for some time. Karume's attitude and manner appear to have been designed to demonstrate his personal and, probably Tanzanian, non-alignment.

VIII. The Fourth Day: (June 7, 1965)

Chou En Lai toured Dar es Salaam on June 7 visiting such spots as TANU headquarters, the National Museum, the National Housing Corporation, housing development and the University College.

At TANU headquarters, Chou was presented with a national dress and a carving of an elephant by the TANU elders. It was here that Chou was told by the elders that when the colonialists granted independence to Tanganyika they left nothing behind but wild animals and land -- "The wealth which we inherited from our forefathers."

Chou also visited the University College in the afternoon. He was greeted by the faculty and construction workers employed in building the university largely with AID funds. It was between sessions and no students were present. Chou's motorcade must have passed a number of signs with the AID seal and clasped hands. There was a rumor in Dar that these signs had been removed during Chou's visit to the university. However, careful investigation has revealed no evidence that the signs were removed. There was one sign removed which had been installed along one of Dar's main roads to mark an AID water supply project, and this action may have triggered the rumors about the signs at the University.

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Chou met with the University staff at a tea. The Principal, Dr. Wilbert Chagula, suggested establishment of relations between the University College and a University in Peking. Chou replied that he would request Chin Hua University to establish relations which would enable an exchange of students and scholars between the two schools. He presented the University with a transistor radio.

The evening witnessed Chou's banquet for Nyerere. At the head table, in addition to the President and Vice President Kawawa, were Kambona, Minister of Home Affairs Lusinde and Minister for Labor Kamaliza.

Enclosure Number 7 is the text of Chou En Lai's speech given at the banquet. Chou's speech was confined to another attack against the imperialists. This time the US was not mentioned by name. A report by the Belgian Ambassador says that Chou was requested before the banquet to eliminate references by name to the US or other Western countries. There was during the English reading of Chou's speech a great amount of paper shuffling and improvisation which contrasted with the smooth interpretation of his other speeches. The speech which emerged was more moderate than the previous speeches.

Chou praised Tanganyika's union with Zanzibar and said that the imperialists most fear the unity of Africa. The imperialists are constantly attempting to undermine this unity by "divide and rule". When this policy does not work, they turn to "merge and rule" tactics by "rigging so-called federations to serve their own interests." Chou referred to the former Central African Federation in this context. However, his words were broad enough to include an East African Federation in the context of his speech, as well as OCAM. Chou ended his speech with the Chicom Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence.

Nyerere's speech dealt with unity and non-alignment. Nyerere welcomed support from all people in the fight against colonialism and neo-colonialism, because "this is not a fight against any people, or any nation, but against an evil doctrine and evil practices. Tanzania's policy of non-alignment does not, and cannot, imply an indifference to those evils. They are a direct threat to Africa, and Africa must defend itself."

Nyerere's answer to imperialist maneuvers was African unity. He visualized a unified continent of 250,000,000 people speaking with one voice. This unified Africa would be a power vis-a-vis the power blocs existing in the world today. Nyerere recognized that African unity was not easy to attain. In addition to the usual imperialist efforts to keep Africans disunited, he mentioned the genuine intra-African difficulties and conflicts of interest which have to be overcome. He said Tanzanian experience makes us say "that neither machinations of capitalist finance, nor ideological intolerances, nor even genuine human problems of organization, can be allowed to stand in the way of African Unity."

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IX. The Fifth Day: (June 8, 1965)

The Chicom/Tanzanian joint communique was scheduled to be released at 0900 local time. Press members who tried to obtain a copy were told the communique would be released at 1100. This time was again changed and mimeographed copies of the communique were released at 11:45 almost simultaneously with Chou's departure from Dar es Salaam airport.

Although all cell leaders in Dar had been exhorted to get their people out to bid farewell to Chou En Lai, the streets of Dar es Salaam were almost deserted in contrast to his arrival. A good crowd was present at the airport, but it did not begin to approach the crowd that welcomed Chou En Lai when he arrived. According to some reporters who were at the airport, not all the ministers came. Many of them were apparently attending Parliament which opened that same morning.

X. The Communique

The Joint Tanzanian/Chicom Communique was undoubtedly a Chicom propaganda victory. The communique, even in its language, follows generally the same lines as the Tanzanian/Chicom communique issued in February, 1965, during President Nyerere's visit to Peking (Embtel 1828). It is highly likely that the first draft of the communique was prepared by the Chicoms and the final version represents a somewhat watered down version as a result of changes by the Tanzanians.

Since the communique was to be issued at 0900 on June 8, it would have had to be prepared on the day before or earlier in the visit. There are several reports that there was an argument over the communique between the Chicoms and the Tanzanians on the afternoon of June 7. As circumstantial evidence, it is noted that the principals arrived 30 minutes late for the Chicom banquet with traffic being held up even longer waiting for the Presidential motorcade to pass. The disagreement apparently carried over into the next day with the final version being released almost as Chou En Lai was boarding the aircraft.

Attached as Enclosure Number 10 are extracts in parallel columns from the February and June communiques, permitting a comparison of their content and language.

In general, the joint communique is a rehash of the communique issued in Peking during Nyerere's visit there. However, the communique signed in Dar es Salaam represents an increased preoccupation with world affairs as compared with strictly internal African affairs. The expanded sections on Vietnam and the introduction of an expanded section on Latin America including the Dominican Republic were probably Chicom inspired. These sections of the communique do not mention the United States by name, but the implication is clear. The self-determina-

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tion theme (e.g. re Vietnam) is probably partially Nyerere's. In a discussion with Ambassador Leonhart on May 7 (Embassy telegram 2355) Nyerere told the Ambassador that the main problems in the Dominican Republic were to end the fighting and apply self-determination in free Dominican elections. He added that the principle which unified Vietnam, the Dominican Republic and Mozambique was self-determination by the people.

The section on the Congo was considerably expanded. The Dar communique substituted "high tribute to" the Congolese people instead of "support" which may well represent an acknowledgement of Tshombe's present control over the Congo. It acknowledged the existence of OCAM by referring to the imperialist attempt to split the Africans in order to "strangle the Congolese people's cause of national liberation." It held out the hope that with the support of all the people of Africa, the Congolese people would eventually win genuine independence.

The section on Southern Africa was expanded, probably at Tanzanian initiative to include references to a Smith "unilateral declaration of independence." The reference to racial discrimination in "some other parts of the world" was dropped, perhaps a left-handed compliment to the actions of President Johnson's administration in the field of civil rights.

The section on two Chinas was dropped as was support for Chicom admission to the UN. This was probably in deference to their guest's interest in setting up a rival international organization.

XI. Comments on the Visit of Chou En Lai

The visit of Chou En Lai will be primarily remembered for the invective and vituperation heaped on the United States by the Chinese and the protestations of non-alignment by Nyerere, Karume and the Tanzanian press including TANU's Nationalist and Uhuru. In every speech made by Nyerere the themes of "aid without strings" and "Tanzania does not take orders from any outside power" were repeated again and again. Even First Vice President Karume on Zanzibar, who is subject to radical pressures by his Revolutionary Council and by the Afro-Shirazi Youth League, reiterated the theme that no aid from any country could make Tanzania change its policy.

Further, many Tanzanians were obviously upset that Chou should have used his status as a guest to attack the United States. Typical was the reaction of a TANU Administrative Secretary who in conversations with the reporting officer severely criticized Chou's statements. He said that using Tanzania as a base for anti-American attacks was offensive to the Tanzanians and may have awakened

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many of the Tanzanians, except some of the most radical ones, to the threat posed by the Chicoms.

Despite the non-alignment attitude taken by the Tanzanians, President Nyerere still signed a joint communique that represented a propaganda victory for the Chicoms. Why would Nyerere sign a communique which came closer to reflecting the Chicom propaganda line than to non-alignment, especially at a time when Tanzania is avidly seeking private investment in the West? There are a number of reasons which could account for this.

a) The communique was probably presented in draft form by the Chinese to the Tanzanians. It may have mentioned the US by name. The final communique which did not name the US could thus have been a watered down version of the Chicom draft. It appears that there was a great deal of discussion and argument over the communique.

b) The communique probably does represent many of Nyerere's personal beliefs. This is especially true on African affairs and as mentioned previously on Vietnam. It may well be that Nyerere in signing the communique was perhaps reaffirming his views on world affairs without regard to possible reaction in the West. Further the communique was very similar to the Peking version which had been signed without serious repercussions.

c) The communique itself contrasts noticeably with Nyerere's pre-communique speeches. Nyerere's speeches are presumably a closer reflection of his personal views. However, the communique was hammered out by members of the Tanzanian Cabinet. It could well be that the more radical elements fought for a tough communique and made it difficult for Nyerere not to go along with the final version.

d) It is also likely that Nyerere acceded to some Chicom verbiage on non-African problems to avoid risking non-implementation of Chicom aid pledges. It further appears that a Chicom offer to build the Tanzania/Zambia rail link was again made by the Chicoms (Embassy telegram 2640). Giving in on some propaganda points could have been an attempt on the part of Nyerere to fend off pressures for additional aid he was not prepared at the time to be publicly committed to, but also leaving the door open in the event Nyerere was unsuccessful in obtaining this aid from other sources.

The reason for Tanzanian agreement on the communique is probably a mixture of the above factors. However, association of the Tanzanians with such an evident Chicom propaganda document will not help them at a time when they are actively

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seeking Western private investment and government aid to enable them to accomplish their Five Year Development Plan. On the day that the communique was signed, Nyerere appeared before Parliament and said "The amount of private investment which has taken place over the past year is, quite frankly, a disappointment to us." He had apparently ignored the fact that the communique will do nothing to improve the local climate for investment which must come from the West. Nyerere's signing of such a communique has undoubtedly become another factor deterring private investment in a sequence of events that have included "plots", expulsions, land seizures and statements by radical Tanzanian government officials which belie the Government's stated objective of attracting private investment.

Most diplomats in Dar es Salaam tend to discount the joint communique and to point to Nyerere's statements on non-alignment and internal independence. We would agree that Nyerere's oral pronouncements do in fact represent his views and those of the majority of Tanzanians. The TANU press, in addition, although heralding the visit as memorable, also accented non-alignment and friendship. Chou's visit was dropped from the press shortly after his departure. However, the communique did show agreement with the Chicoms line on a number of world problems and probably does reflect the Tanzanian view on these non-African problems and its tendency to consider any force labelled "nationalist" as automatically being anti-imperialist and therefore worthy of support.

Chou's approach is rather baffling. The Chicoms have to a great extent avoided anti-US pronouncements by their diplomatic staff and have concentrated on getting African groups such as the refugee political parties to echo their line. Either the Chicom embassy or the Chicom leaders made a fundamental error in their assessment of Tanzania. If Chou had stuck to the line taken at the first banquet he probably would have made a better overall impression on the Tanzanians. However his violent denunciation of the US in his speeches and his attempts to have Tanzania associated with this anti-US policy may have lost him a number of Tanzanian friends. This is not necessarily because they disagree with his anti-US statements but because of his violation of the rules of courtesy and his exploitation of his non-aligned host-country as a platform for his own country's Cold War propaganda. Further, many Tanzanians hopefully have awakened to the degree of commitment required by the Chicoms.

On balance it appears that the Chicoms seriously misjudged the degree to which Tanzania is prepared to shift to the East. Although in sympathy with many professed Chicom views, although willing to denounce capitalism and employ the usual anti-imperialist slogans and verbiage, although committed to a socialist type society with some of the trappings of a communist society, Tanzania still rejects interference in her internal affairs by the Chicoms or anyone else. However, the danger is not so much in Tanzanian attitudes and intentions, but in

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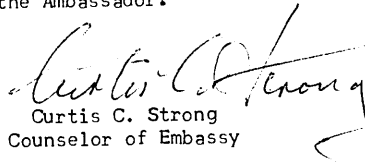
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their underestimation of the Chicom threat of subversion and their ability to withstand it.

The average Tanzanian was hardly impressed with Chou En Lai. Most know he is a Chinese leader but have difficulty in identifying with him in contrast to Haile Selassie or Sekou Toure, the Chinese being little known and far away strangers, less familiar to the Tanzanians than the whites and possibly in some ways even more alien.

As a final note on Mr. Chou himself, reporters say that he was heavily made up during the visit and his hand noticeably trembled. Coupled with the reports from Peking on Mao Tse Tung's illness, this observation brings home the advanced age of the Chicom leadership and suggests the changes which could occur in China when these old revolutionaries pass from the scene. Perhaps one such change could be less rigidity and more sensitivity in dealing with non-Chinese.

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Special Message by Chou En-lai

The Standard

June 5, 1965

"At this happy moment, I would like first of all to convey the cordial greetings and high tribute of the entire Chinese people to the fraternal Tanzanian people.

"In their struggle for national independence and against colonialism the courageous Tanzanian people performed brilliant feats. After attaining independence, the industrious Tanzanian people have achieved remarkable successes in the national reconstruction. During our present visit, we hope to understand you better and will humbly learn from you.

"A profound and militant friendship has long existed between our two peoples. Since our two countries attained independence respectively, an encouraging development has taken place in the relations of friendship and co-operation between our two countries.

"And now, confronted with the common task of continuing our fight against imperialism and old and new colonialism; safe-guarding national independence and building our own countries, our two peoples need to keep on strengthening our solidarity and co-operation.

"Through our present visit, we hope to contribute to the strengthening of the friendship and solidarity between our two peoples."

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President NYERERE's Speech at the State Banquet

The Nationalist

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"Last year you, Mr. Premier, were scheduled to visit Tanganyika. That visit had to be postponed, but the postponement had one advantage. We are now able to welcome you, not to Tanganyika, but to Tanzania. And we do so with very great pleasure.

"When I had the privilege of speaking in your country a few months ago I expressed our pleasure that the independence of this country had enabled us to add China to the list of our friends. We are happy that your visit enables us to give further evidence of this pleasure. Your visit also enables the people of Tanzania to show in a small way their appreciation of the tremendous welcome given to me and my colleagues by the people of China.

"The people of this Union know China only as the largest country on earth, and as a united, powerful, revolutionary nation. What is not always appreciated is the extent to which this reputation is due to the present leaders of your country. China has an ancient culture and a long history as a nation. But for many of the last hundred years it suffered from colonialism and neo-colonialism of the most blatant kind, and from internal disunity. In addition, the mass of the people suffered until recently from the oppression of landlordism and feudal slavery. Millions of your people have died from hunger while rich landowners and merchants lived in luxury and made profit from misery; peasants were forced to give more than half their produce in taxes and extortion, and sometimes sell their children to do so. Education was confined to the wealthy, who then lived as parasites on the community.

"Against these conditions the Chinese people waged a long and bitter struggle before they achieved victory. More than forty years elapsed between the first national revolution of 1911, and the triumph of a Government able to bring freedom, unity, and peace to the whole country. And for most of that time, you, Mr. Premier, and the Chairman of your Party, Mr. Mao Tse-tung, have been in the vanguard of the fight.

"We in Tanzania are proud - and rightly proud - of our struggle for independence and its peaceful conclusion. Yet ours was a struggle against foreign, and open, colonialism. Difficult as it was for us, it was very easy compared with the task which confronted the Chinese masses. Not only did they have to overcome the resistance of foreign capitalists who were backed up by their respective governments. They had also and at the same time, to wage an even harder battle against corrupt and evil Chinese Government.

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"The courage and endurance demanded by these facts found a response. Many are the tales which can inspire future generations of Chinese people, and indeed of all peoples who love their own country. But perhaps the most amazing is the story of the Long March which the beleaguered Red Army undertook in 1934/5 in order to be able to fight both the revolution and the Japanese invasion.

"Some 900,000 men and women set out from the base in south-west China, and made their way as a body to a new base in the north-east. They traversed about 6,000 miles in just over a year, being engaged in almost daily skirmishes with their opponents and a number of major battles. An American journalist said of this epic, "the whole journey was covered on foot, across some of the world's most impassable trails - most of them unfit for wheeled traffic - and across some of the highest mountains and greatest rivers in Asia. It was one long battle from beginning to end". The cost in human terms was terrific; about half those who started out were killed, or died, or were unable to continue. But that march was perhaps the turning point in the struggle for present-day China.

"We in Tanzania were more fortunate, but although not put to this kind of test ourselves we are able to appreciate the meaning of such determination and such sacrifice. It is with deep sincerity that we salute the achievements of the Chinese people and their leaders. And if our own independence should ever be threatened from any quarter, I believe that your example will assist us to find similar courage.

"There is, however, another lesson which we can learn from the Chinese revolution. It is that courage, enthusiasm, and endurance are not enough. There must also be discipline, and the intelligent application of policies to the needs and circumstances of the country and the time. There is no single answer which is applicable in all times and at all places. Each country and each generation has to deal with its own problems in its own way, exploiting to the greatest possible advantage such opportunities as are available to it. This means that the different countries of the world will use different methods, and different systems, of economic, social and political organisation. It is only by doing so that each of them will achieve the common aim of human progress and betterment.

"Yet while our national paths may be different, the unity of mankind and our common aspiration for peace, freedom, and economic wellbeing, means that we can and should maintain friendship and mutual co-operation. Both China and Tanzania are now engaged in a new kind of revolutionary battle - the fight against poverty and economic backwardness. For Tanzania in fact, the 'Long March' is an economic one, and the enemy we have to fight does not kill us with bullets, but weakens us with disease, tempts us to slothfulness, and encourages us to indulge in the boastfulness of conspicuous consumption when all our energies are needed for the work ahead.

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"And it is a fact, Mr. Premier, that in this respect too, we can learn from China. The singlemindedness with which the Chinese people are concentrating on development was the thing which most impressed me during my visit to your great country. The conscious and deliberate frugality with which your people and your Government efficiently and joyfully conduct their affairs was a big lesson for me, and through me for my people, I believe we shall begin to apply that lesson.

"Before I sit down there is one other thing I wish to mention. I have said that Tanzania's Long March is an economic one; but this is not the whole truth. While we use every possible weapon against our poverty, we have at the same time to guard the sovereignty and the integrity of our United Republic against any who wish to take advantage of our current need in order to get control over us.

"Happily we shall enter into Agreements and Contracts for trade and economic assistance with friendly peoples and nations from all parts of the globe. But from no quarter shall we accept direction, or neo-colonialism, and at no time shall we lower our guard against the subversion of our Government or our people. Neither our principles, our country, nor our freedom to determine our own future are for sale.

"And there is more to it than that. Tanzania is not yet wholly free; because Africa is not wholly free. We cannot concentrate all our energies on the economic battle until that situation is remedied. We are hoping, and still working to see that freedom is gained by peaceful means. But we know that whatever happens, freedom for the whole of Africa must be won. And Africa is determined to win it.

"Mr. Premier, the People's Republic of China and the United Republic of Tanzania are different in many important respects - and in particular in our size and potential importance in the world. But our people also have many things in common. Among these are a desire for peace, freedom, economic development, and mutual friendship. I am therefore proud, on behalf of Tanzania, to salute the people of your great country, the Chairman of your Party - Mao Tse-tung - and you yourselves, our guests here this evening."

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Premier Chou En Lai's Speech at Banquet
Given by President Nyerere
June 4, 1965

Your Excellency Respected President and Madame Nyerere,
Dear Friends,

We have come to visit your beautiful country bringing with us the sincere friendship of the Chinese people for the Tanzanian people. From the moment of our arrival, we have been accorded a welcome which is most unforgettable and warm. This morning tens of thousands of Tanzanian brothers and sisters in festive costumes lined up the streets all the way from the airport to the city and, with passionate songs and dances and friendly cheers, expressed to us their fervent friendship for the Chinese people. And now His Excellency President Nyerere is holding this magnificent banquet for us, enabling us to gather here with the leaders and personages of all circles of Tanzania on such a joyous and friendly occasion. Allow me, on behalf of the Chinese Government and people, to express our sincere thanks to His Excellency the President and the Government and people of Tanzania.

The Tanzanian people are a heroic and staunch people. After a prolonged and arduous struggle, they finally hoisted the flag of independence and freedom over their soil under the leadership of President Nyerere. Their great victory has immensely inspired the other African peoples fighting for national independence. The Tanzanian people are an industrious and gifted people. They made important contributions to the creation and enrichment of the ancient East African civilization. We are sure that the newly born Tanzania will write down new brilliant chapters for the history of an independent and free East Africa.

Since independence, the Tanzanian people have achieved many successes in safeguarding their independence and building their country, and in international affairs. Tanzania has established her own national army and strengthened her might for self-defence. Tanzania is actively eradicating the colonialist influence and is developing an independent national economy. In warm response to President Nyerere's call, the Tanzanian people are relying on their own efforts and adhering to the principle of hard work and thrift in building the country and are determined to change with their own industrious hands the state of poverty and backwardness caused by prolonged colonial rule. Self-reliance, hard work and thrift in national reconstruction mean a long and arduous struggle requiring a firm and unswerving will. However, this is the only dependable road for new emerging Asian and African

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countries to consolidate their national independence and develop their national economy. The Chinese people greatly admire the Tanzanian people for choosing this entirely correct road and heartily rejoice at every achievement they have scored along this road.

Tanzania pursues a policy of peace, neutrality and non-alignment. At the same time, she takes a clearcut stand against imperialism and old and new colonialism and in support of the national liberation movement. The Tanzanian people have guarded with vigilance the independence and sovereignty of their country, and carried on a resolute struggle against the imperialist plots to subvert their state. They have actively supported the struggle for national independence by their African brothers still under colonial rule, and sternly condemned the crimes of aggression committed by imperialism in all parts of the world. This just stand of the Government and people of Tanzania has won the praise and support of the peoples of Africa and the whole world. The international prestige of Tanzania is becoming ever higher.

There is a long-standing traditional friendship between the Chinese and Tanzanian peoples. As far back as nine hundred years ago, our two peoples already came to know and made contacts with each other. In their protracted struggles for national independence against imperialism and colonialism, they have always supported and encouraged each other. Since our two countries respectively attained independence, the valuable friendship between our two peoples has developed further on a new basis. In recent years, the relations of friendship and co-operation between our two countries have made important progress in all fields. Friendly contacts between our two countries are becoming ever more frequent, and our co-operation in international affairs is being daily strengthened. In particular, the visits to our country by Their Excellencies President Nyerere and Second Vice-President Kawawa and the conclusion of the Treaty of Friendship between China and Tanzania have greatly enhanced the friendship between our two peoples and further strengthened and developed the relations of friendly co-operation between our two countries. Such good relations between our two countries fully embody the spirit of the Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence and the Ten Principles of the Bandung Conference. These relations not only accord with the common interests of our two peoples but are conducive to the cause of strengthening Asian-African solidarity and safeguarding world peace. These relations can stand the test of time and no force on earth can destroy them.

I hope that our present visit to your country will further strengthen the relations of friendly co-operation between our two countries and contribute to the cause of strengthening Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace.

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From Dar es Salaam

Now I propose a toast :

To the prosperity of the United Republic of
Tanzania and the well-being of its people;

to the friendship between the Chinese and
Tanzanian peoples;

to Asian-African solidarity and world peace;

to the health of His Excellency the President
and Madame Nyerere;

to the health of His Excellency the First
Vice-President and Madame Karume and His
Excellency the Second Vice-President and
Madame Kawa_{wa}, and

to the health of all the diplomatic envoys
and other friends present here.

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Premier Chou En-Lai's Speech at the Mass Rally
at the National Stadium in Dar es Salaam
June 5, 1965

Your Excellency Respected President Nyerere,
Your Worship Respected Mayor,
Dear Friends,

It is a great pleasure for us to meet here today the people of all circles of the capital of the United Republic of Tanzania. In coming here I have brought to you and the people of all Tanzania the cordial greetings and high tribute of the 650 million Chinese people.

In the last two days we have felt deeply the Tanzanian people's sincere friendship for the Chinese people. We shall never forget the stirring and colourful scenes of welcome. On behalf of my colleagues and in my own name, I wish to extend our sincere thanks to His Excellency President Nyerere and the Tanzanian Government and people for all that.

Although this is our first visit to the United Republic of Tanzania, my colleagues and I do not find ourselves in a strange land. Intercourse between our two countries dated back to nine hundred years ago. Some five hundred years ago, the Chinese navigator Cheng Ho reached East African coasts. The numerous pieces of ancient Chinese porcelain excavated in Tanzania bear eloquent witness to the long-standing traditional friendship between our two peoples. In their protracted struggles for national independence and against imperialism and colonialism, our two peoples have always given each other sympathy and support. The "Maji-Maji" uprising in your country in early 20th century, which shook the colonial rule, and the Chinese people's struggle against imperialism at that time, though separated by great distance, inspired each other. We have therefore come to your country as envoys of the Chinese people to renew acquaintance with our old friends and comrades-in arms.

Since our two countries shook off imperialist and colonialist domination and achieved independence respectively, the traditional friendship between our two peoples has shone with new splendour. New relations of friendly cooperation have been established and developed between our two countries on the basis of the Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence and the Ten Principles of the Bandung Conference. Economic and cultural exchanges have been growing and the friendly contacts between our two Governments and peoples are increasing. His Excellency Second Vice-President Kawawa visited China in June last year,

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and in February this year His Excellency President Nyerere himself paid a state visit to our country. During their visits, our two countries concluded an agreement on economic and technical cooperation and a treaty of friendship, thus bringing our relations of friendly cooperation to a new stage. I hope that our present visit will further strengthen the friendship and solidarity between our two peoples.

The Chinese people note with great admiration that the new-born United Republic of Tanzania is marching forward proudly and confidently on the path of independent development. You have made great efforts and scored remarkable successes in liquidating colonialist influence and developing national economy and culture. You have built up a national army of your own and vigorously carried out the Africanization of your civil service. You have taken over some of the plantations of the colonialists, vigorously developed agriculture, set up farms and tractor stations and constructed dams. Actively taking part in the Self-help Scheme for national reconstruction, the Tanzanian people have built many farms, dams, schools and clinics. Though we have been here for only two days, we have been deeply impressed by your zeal in construction and the flourishing conditions in your country.

Asian and African countries have won independence mainly by relying on the struggle of their own people, and after independence it is also necessary for them first to rely on the efforts of their own people in order to develop national economy and carry out national reconstruction. Self-reliance, hard work and thrift in national reconstruction constitute a line of confidence in the masses of the people and reliance on them to attain complete independence through the development of the national economy. His Excellency President Nyerere has aptly said: "We have no money but we have hands, on which we can rely for our own development." What a forceful voice! This is the aspiring and confident voice of the entire people of Tanzania! Tanzania has an industrious and courageous people dedicated to the prosperity and advancement of their country. It is endowed with vast expanses of fertile land and rich underground resources. We have no doubt that, by following the path of self-reliance pointed out by His Excellency President Nyerere, you will certainly be able to build your country into a mighty and prosperous one.

After winning independence, the people of Tanzania have not forgotten their African brothers who are still under the oppression and enslavement of colonial rule. You have been actively and zealously supporting the fighting peoples in the Congo (Leopoldville), Mozambique, Angola, Portuguese Guinea, Zimbabwe and South Africa. Tanzania has become a glorious banner in East Africa, a banner against old and new colonialism and for national liberation struggles. In the world arena, the United Republic of Tanzania has taken a clearcut stand against

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imperialist policies of aggression and war, upholding Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace, and has made active contributions in these respects. All this has won respect and praise from the people of the world for the United Republic of Tanzania and greatly raised its international standing.

The imperialists and old and new colonialists are unwilling to see an independent Tanzania towering on the East African coast. They have brought political and economic pressure to bear on you and even resorted to frenzied and despicable subversion. But, they have met with resolute counter-blows from the people of Tanzania. Recently, you have uncovered one subversive plot after another of the imperialists and expelled the U.S. diplomats involved. These dauntless and resolute acts of yours serve as a forceful warning to the imperialists and old and new colonialists: The people of Tanzania have stood up and are not to be bullied.

Early last year I visited ten friendly countries in Africa, spending 50 days and covering tens of thousands of miles. I saw with my own eyes that Africa was experiencing a great earth-shaking change and that the Africa which had been hard oppressed and trampled underfoot by colonialism has become an awakened, militant and advanced continent. And this impression has been further accentuated by what we have seen and heard here in your country.

Imperialism and colonialism used to regard Africa as their strategic rear. But today it has become a front-line in the struggle against imperialism and colonialism. In the already independent African states, the people are fighting unremittingly against imperialist and colonialist aggression, intervention, subversion and infiltration; they are watchfully guarding their national independence and state sovereignty and are determined to carry forward their national-democratic revolution. The African countries which have not yet attained independence are all ablaze with the struggle for national independence. The people of South Africa and Zimbabwe are persistently fighting against racial discrimination and for independence and freedom in defiance of the barbarous suppression by the South African and South Rhodesian colonialist authorities. The people of Mozambique, Angola and Portuguese Guinea are engaged in heroic armed struggle against the Brutal Portuguese colonialists. The African people who have been subjected to centuries of enslavement, oppression, plunder and insults of every kind, have now stood up, determined to be masters of their own destiny. Africa will certainly become the African people's Africa. It will certainly become an independent and free Africa. This is a historical trend which no imperialism or reactionary force can resist.

An exceedingly favourable situation for revolution prevails today not only in Africa but also in Asia and Latin America. The national liberation movement in Africa converging with that in Asia and Latin America has become a mighty torrent pounding with great momentum at the foundation

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of the rule of imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism. The revolutionary storms in these areas are vividly described in Chairman Mao Tse-tung's famous verses,

"The four seas are seething, clouds louring and waters raging;
The five continents are rocked by storm and thunder."

As the situation is becoming more and more unfavourable to imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism, they are adopting more ferocious and barbarous means to try to strangle the national liberation movement. U.S. imperialism, in particular, not only supports old colonialism and becomes the main bulwark of colonialism today, but is ambitiously making a bid for world hegemony. It does not tolerate the Asian, African and Latin American peoples standing up on their own feet and becoming masters of their own countries. It is unwilling to see these countries developing independently and attaining prosperity. It wants to ride on the backs of the people of these countries and place them under its colonialist rule. It habitually uses neo-colonialist methods of rule, which are more deceptive. But in the face of the revolutionary storm sweeping Africa, Asia and Latin America, it becomes desperate like a cornered dog and is increasingly revealing its true nature which is even more ruthless than old colonialism and Hitlerite fascism.

In Africa, the United States has colluded with the old colonialist countries in launching armed intervention against the Congo (L) and massacring the patriotic soldiers and civilians there. Up till now it is still using mercenaries composed of desperadoes for intensified attacks on the patriotic armed forces there. It has fostered Tshombe, the murderer of Lumumba, as its agent in the Congo (L). Moreover, through the Tshombe puppet regime it is constantly carrying out threats, subversion and armed attacks against the countries contiguous to the Congo (L), in an attempt to prevent these countries from supporting the Congolese (L) people in their patriotic and just struggle against U.S. imperialism.

But barbarous suppression and temporary setbacks, instead of disheartening the Congolese (L) people, have heightened their will to fight. They are holding still higher the banner of anti-U.S. patriotism and broadening and deepening their struggle. They pledge their determination to turn the Congo (L) into a grave for U.S. imperialism. The Chinese people have consistently supported the Congolese people in their patriotic and just anti-U.S. struggle and, together with the other African peoples, will give every possible aid to the Congolese people.

In Latin America, the United States has dispatched tens of thousands of troops for outright armed aggression against the Dominican Republic with a population of only three million. The Dominican people have been

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forced to take up arms in resistance. The wave of wrath against the United States is spreading fast all over Latin America. The Chinese people firmly stand by the Dominican people and are convinced that no matter how tortuous the path of struggle, the fire of the anti-U.S. struggle of the Dominican people can never be put down, and final victory will certainly belong to the Dominican people.

In Asia, the United States has torn the Geneva agreements to shreds and launched a war of aggression, the most dirty, shameless and brutal of its kind in the contemporary world, in South Viet Nam. It has thrown an increasing number of its armed forces into south Viet Nam and employed all kinds of modern weapons short of nuclear ones, not excluding the inhuman use of poison gas. It has razed to the ground many towns and villages in South Viet Nam, and slaughtered and mutilated hundreds of thousands of South Vietnamese people. As it suffered crushing defeats in South Viet Nam, U.S. imperialism has resorted to wanton bombings of the Democratic Republic of Viet Nam, thereby spreading the war flames to north Viet Nam step by step.

The 30 million Vietnamese people, united as one and displaying their national tradition of tenacity, and their common hatred of the enemy, are carrying on a heroic struggle against the U.S. aggressor. Full of fighting spirit and growing stronger as they fight, they have scored brilliant victories. Under the leadership of the South Viet Nam National Front for Liberation and with the support of their fellow countrymen in the Democratic Republic of Viet Nam, the south Vietnamese people are battering the fully-armed U.S. aggressor out of his senses. The people of the Democratic Republic of Viet Nam are also dealing heavy blows at the U.S. imperialist forces intruding into the North. Today, four-fifths of the territory of South Viet Nam and two-thirds of its population, that is to say about ten million people, have been liberated. The U.S. aggressor is bogged down in South Viet Nam deeper and deeper, with his forces struggling and being depleted there day by day and month by month.

The present heroic struggle of the Vietnamese people against U.S. imperialism not only forms an important part of the struggle of the people of the whole world in defence of world peace against imperialism, but has become the focus of this struggle, with its impact far exceeding the boundaries of Viet Nam. By their struggle the Vietnamese people are tightly pinning down forces of U.S. imperialism, seriously depleting them and thus upsetting its global plans for aggression and war. This constitutes a powerful support to the Asian-African countries in their struggle to win and safeguard national independence, and a great contribution to the cause of defending world peace. It is the bounden duty of all the peace-loving countries and people of Asia, Africa and the whole world to give all-out support and assistance to the Vietnamese

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people who are fighting heroically. The 650 million Chinese people have always regarded it as their sacred international duty to support and assist the Vietnamese people in their just struggle. Together with the people of Africa, Asia and the whole world, we will further help the Vietnamese people carry their struggle to resist U.S. aggression and save the nation through to the end. We firmly hold that the United States must withdraw all her military forces from South Viet Nam, and that the Viet Nam question must be settled by the Vietnamese people themselves.

The Second African-Asian Conference is due to open in Algeria in about twenty days. The First Asian-African Conference held at Bandung in Indonesia ten years ago has exerted far-reaching influence in promoting the Asian-African people's cause of solidarity against imperialism. In the new situation in our struggle today, particularly when U.S. imperialism has embarked on the adventurist road of war provocations in Viet Nam, it is imperative for the Asian-African countries to give full play to the Bandung Spirit, unite still more closely, strengthen their cooperation and fight together against the imperialist policies of aggression and war in order to win and safeguard national independence, develop national economy and defend world peace. Therefore, it will be of tremendous importance to make the Second African-Asian Conference a success. The imperialists and other reactionaries will not relax their efforts to sabotage this Conference. But I am convinced that, so long as the participating countries made common efforts and live up to the expectations of the 2,000 million Asian-African people, the Second African-Asian Conference will certainly be able to surmount all obstacles and difficulties and carry the Asian-African people's cause of solidarity against imperialism to a new stage.

Dear friends! Although China and Tanzania are separated by great distances and wide oceans, our common past experiences have long bound our two peoples together. In the protracted common struggle against the common enemy, our ties have stood tests and become closer and firmer than before. In the common cause of opposing imperialism and old and new colonialism, safeguarding national independence, strengthening Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace in the days to come, the Chinese people will unite with the Tanzanian people still further and advance together with them hand in hand.

Long live the friendship between the Chinese and Tanzanian peoples!
Long live the friendship between the Chinese and African peoples!
Long live Asian-African solidarity!
Long live the great unity of the people of the whole world!
Long live world peace!

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Premier Chou En-lai's Speech at Mass
Rally in Zanzibar

June 6, 1965

"Your Excellency Respected First Vice-President Karume,
Your Excellency Respected Second Vice-President Kawawa,
Dear Friends,

"Ever since we stepped onto the beautiful land of Tanzania, we have been living amidst the joys of revolutionary friendship. In the last two days we were warmly welcomed and cordially received in Dar es Salaam by the Tanzanian Government and people. Today, people of all walks of life in Zanzibar are holding this grand rally to welcome us in this capital city of the "Clove Island". All this eloquently demonstrates the profound friendship cherished by the Tanzanian people for the Chinese people. I once again express my sincere thanks to His Excellency President Nyerere, His Excellency First Vice-President Karume and the Tanzanian Government. On behalf of the Chinese people, I would also like to express our cordial greetings and pay our high tribute to the people of all walks of life in Zanzibar and the entire Tanzanian people.

"Tanzania is a country that passionately loves independence and freedom. The Tanzanian people is a people with a tradition of struggle against imperialism. Their struggle for national independence dealt heavy blows to the imperialist colonial rule in East Africa. The deep-going development of the Tanzanian national-democratic revolution and its continuous victories have greatly encouraged and supported the other African peoples in their anti-imperialist revolutionary struggles, and have won for Tanzania the respect and praise of the people of Asia, Africa and the whole world.

"The people of Zanzibar have played a positive role and made outstanding contributions in the great struggle of the people of the whole of Tanzania and East Africa for national liberation against imperialism. As President Nyerere put it: "Without the day of the Zanzibar revolution, the United Republic of Tanzania is impossible," "Zanzibar is the nucleus of Tanzania" and will become an "advanced area." And as First Vice-President Karume has said, "The successful revolution of the Zanzibar people has set a brilliant example for oppressed peoples."

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"In order to get rid of colonial rule and feudal oppression, the people of Zanzibar waged a protracted and heroic struggle. They launched an armed revolution one and half years ago, when they drove out the aggressors and oppressors and overthrew the reactionary rule of imperialism and its lackeys. Zanzibar gained its new life, and this "pearl of the Indian Ocean" began once again to shine forth brilliantly. In the face of imperialist, colonialist and neo-colonialist armed threats, the 300,000 people of Zanzibar on this isolated island dared to despise the enemy, make revolution and win victory, and they indeed won their national liberation. That was a marvellous achievement. The Chinese people sincerely admire the indomitable revolutionary and militant spirit of the fraternal Zanzibar people.

"The people of Zanzibar, who have stood up in the course of struggle, understand that the winning of independence does not mean the conclusion of the revolution, but marks the beginning of a new struggle. United as one, maintaining sharp vigilance and persisting in struggle, you have smashed one disruptive plot after another of imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism. Determined to eliminate all colonialist forces, you have carried out a series of democratic reforms and of measures for the nationalization of industry and agriculture. You have worked hard to develop your national economy and culture and achieved remarkable successes. To hold high the anti-imperialist, anti-colonialist and anti-neo-colonialist banner and carry the national-democratic revolution through to the end is the only correct path for all the oppressed people of Asia and Africa to achieve complete independence and thorough emancipation both politically and economically. The Chinese people heartily rejoice over every achievement scored by the Zanzibar people along this path. We wish you continuous and still greater successes.

"The two sister countries, Zanzibar and Tanganyika, have merged into a united republic. The strength of the Tanzanian people has increased and grown still more staunch in the struggle in defence of national independence against imperialism. In the past, imperialism failed to prevent the people of Tanganyika and Zanzibar from advancing victoriously in the struggle to win and safeguard their national independence. Today, it can be said with even greater certainty that no force on earth can prevent the Tanzanian people, who persist in unity against imperialism, from carrying their national-democratic revolution through to the end. We sincerely wish that you will make increasingly great contributions to the cause of strengthening the solidarity of the people of Tanzania and the whole of East Africa against imperialism.

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"Dear friends ! There is a profound traditional friendship between the peoples of China and Tanzania. In the years of fighting for national independence and liberation against imperialism and colonialism, the peoples of our two countries have all along given each other sympathy and support. After we won victory in our struggles, our traditional friendship has developed on a new basis. In the last two years, in particular, our relations of friendship and cooperation have grown rapidly through our joint efforts.

"It is by no means accidental that the relations between China and Tanzania have grown so rapidly and become so good. This is because we have similar past experience, face common fighting tasks, and so can most easily understand and trust each other. It is also because we are both faithful to the Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence and the Ten Principles of the Bandung Conference. In our contacts we have truly respected and treated each other as equals, without either party showing self-importance or attempting to impose its own will on the other. In our mutual assistance we have been truly helping each other like poor friends in the same boat, without the bigger and stronger party bullying the smaller and weaker one. The friendly cooperation of our two countries is not only in conformity with the basic interests of our two peoples but also conducive to the promotion of Asian-African solidarity and defence of world peace. I am convinced that, through the continued efforts of our two sides, the relations of friendship and cooperation between our two countries will be further strengthened and developed.

"Dear friends ! The present world situation is unprecedentedly advantageous to the struggle of the Asian and African peoples to win and safeguard national independence, and disadvantageous to imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism. The storm of the national liberation movement in Asia and Africa is constantly rocking the foundation of imperialist and colonialist rule and hitting hard at the imperialist forces of aggression and war. Asia and Africa, which in the past were at the mercy of imperialism and colonialism, have now become awakened, militant and advanced continents. This represents a great change, a ringing song of victory, of our epoch.

"But imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism are not reconciled to their defeats. The greater their failures the more frantic their struggle. The South African and South Rhodesian colonialists authorities are stepping up their policies of racial discrimination

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and apartheid, in a vigorous attempt to maintain their dark rule over the people in South Africa and Zimbabwe. The Portuguese colonialists are suppressing with increasing brutality the people in Mozambique, Angola and Portuguese Guinea, who are striving for independence and freedom. U.S. imperialism, as the main bulwark of modern colonialism, is not only supporting the old colonial powers, but itself playing the role of the international gendarme in Asia, Africa and other parts of the world, committing murder, arson and all other evils. It is perpetrating bloody suppression of the patriotic struggle of the people of the Congo (L) and plotting interference and subversion against the countries surrounding the Congo (L), Zanzibar included. It has launched a most shameless and barbarous colonial war against South Viet Nam and is wantonly bombing the Democratic Republic of Viet Nam and spreading the flames of war to North Viet Nam. Recently it has carried out naked intervention and aggression against the Dominican Republic and slaughtered large numbers of Dominican people. All this shows that U.S. imperialism is the root cause of all evils and the common enemy of the people in Asia, Africa and the whole world.

"Through their own experience the peoples of China and Tanzania know that the anti-imperialist, anti-U.S. struggles of all peoples form an integral whole and always support and inspire each other. The struggle of the people in Viet Nam, the Dominican Republic and elsewhere is a strong support to the struggle of the people in the Congo (L) and Africa. And the latter is likewise a strong support to the former. Faced with the peoples in Viet Nam, in the Congo (L), in Africa and in the Dominican Republic daring to fight and daring to win, U.S. imperialism is sure to be defeated, and the people of Asia, Africa and Latin America are sure to win. The peoples of China and Tanzania are close comrades-in-arms advancing shoulder to shoulder in the anti-imperialist ranks of the people of Asia and Africa. Let our two peoples unite still more closely, let us unite still more closely with the other peoples of Asia, Africa, Latin America and elsewhere, and fight together till the end against the U.S. imperialist policies of aggression and war, for the promotion of human progress and in defence of world peace.

"Long live the friendship between the peoples of China and Tanzania !

"Long live the friendship between the peoples of China and Africa !

"Long live Asian-African solidarity !

"Long live the great solidarity of the people of the whole world !

"Long live world peace !"

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Premier Chou En-Lai's Speech at Farewell Banquet
June 7, 1965

Your Excellency Respected President Nyerere,

Dear Friends,

Having spent four unforgettable days in the friendly United Republic of Tanzania, we are going to end our visit tomorrow. During the visit we have received the warmest welcome and most thoughtful hospitality from the Tanzanian Government and people. Wherever we went, we were met with colourful banners, happy smiles, joyous songs and dances and thunderous cheers. The fraternal Tanzanian people have placed us in a sea of jubilation and friendship. We came here with the sincere friendship of the 650 million Chinese people and we shall now leave loaded with profound goodwill of the Tanzanian people. On the eve of our departure, I would like, on behalf of my colleagues and in my own name, to express once again our heartfelt thanks to your Excellency the President, the Tanzanian Government and the fraternal Tanzanian people.

Although our visit has been a short one lasting only a few days, it has left with us an ineradicable impression.

We see that the Tanzanian people dearly love their hard-won independence and freedom and are determined to defend them at any price. This will of the Tanzanian people has been expressed in unambiguous words by President Nyerere three days ago when he said, "Neither our principles, our country, nor our freedom to determine our own future are for sale." The Tanzanian people, proud and free, have proved with deeds that they have the courage to fight not only the old oppressors but also any new oppressor who attempts to subject them once more to enslavement. This dauntless heroism and revolutionary spirit is the sure guarantee against any and every plot or manoeuvre of imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism.

We see that the Tanzanian people, under the leadership of President Nyerere, are united as one and dedicated to the prosperity and advancement of their country. The union of the two sister countries -- Tanganyika and Zanzibar -- is displaying with increasing force the mighty strength of unity. It has not only greatly advanced the Tanzanian people's cause against imperialism and for social progress, but has also set a brilliant example for the unity and solidarity of all countries in East Africa and indeed the whole of Africa. This unity the imperialists fear most. They are constantly trying to undermine this unity by sowing dissension so as to attain their aim of "divide and rule". When this policy does not work, they cunningly make use of

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the African peoples' aspiration for unity and solidarity and turn to the tactics of "merge and rule" by rigging up so-called federations to serve their own interests. But just as a fish's eye cannot pass for a pearl, such unions created by the imperialists have been seen through and will continue to be seen through. The collapse of the Central African Federation is a telling example. The peoples of Africa, like the Tanzanian people, will eventually achieve step by step their aspired unity and solidarity on the basis of anti-imperialism and progress.

A motto solemnly written in Kiswahili on your national emblem reads: "Uhuru na Umoja". We see that the Tanzanian people, abiding by this motto, are vigilantly guarding their independence and freedom, and united as one, are continuously pushing forward their national democratic revolution. The same situation exists in many other African countries. In spite of the fact that the imperialists are flying into mad fits of anger or engrossed in morbid fear and uneasiness, the anti-imperialist revolution will continue its victorious advance in Africa. An independent and sovereign new Africa without imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism is bound to emerge. An economically and culturally advanced Africa, prosperous and strong, is bound to emerge.

In the past ten years, China has established friendly relations with many African countries on the basis of the Five Principles of Peaceful Coexistence and the Ten Principles of the Bandung Conference and is developing increasingly wide cooperation with them. In its relations with the African countries, China has consistently and unswervingly taken the following stand:

1. It supports the African peoples in their struggle to fight imperialism and old and new colonialism and to win and safeguard national independence.
2. It supports the pursuance of a policy of peace, neutrality and non-alignment by the governments of African countries.
3. It supports the desire of the African peoples to achieve unity and solidarity in the manner of their own choice.
4. It supports the African countries in their efforts to settle their disputes through peaceful consultation.
5. It holds that the sovereignty of African countries should be respected by all other countries and that encroachment and interference from any quarters should be opposed.

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This stand taken by China has promoted its relations of friendly cooperation with the African countries. The imperialists and their lackeys are trying their utmost to undermine these relations. But contrasted with this open and above-board attitude of China's, all imperialist and old and new colonialist plots and manouvres to interfere with and control African countries cannot but be exposed in all nakedness one after another.

During this visit, we had cordial and friendly talks with President Nyerere, First Vice-President Karume and Second Vice-President Kawawa and other leaders of the Tanzanian Government, in which we had a full exchange of opinions and reached an unanimous view on the further development of the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries and international questions of common interest. The joint communique to be issued will be a new milestone of the further development in the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries. I am convinced that our two Governments and peoples will keep up their efforts to make these relations yield still richer and bigger fruits.

Now I propose a toast:

to the prosperity of the United Republic of Tanzania and the well-being of its people,
to the ever growing friendship between the peoples of China and Tanzania,
to Asian-African solidarity and world peace,
to the health of His Excellency President Nyerere,
to the Health of His Excellency the First Vice-President and His Excellency the Second Vice-President and Madame Kawawa,
to the health of all diplomatic envoys and friends present here; and
to the health of all distinguished guests present here.'

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PRESIDENT'S SPEECH AT BANQUET GIVEN BY PREMIER CHOU EN LAI
DAR ES SALAAM - MONDAY, June 7, 1965

Mr. Premier, Fellow Guests, Ladies and Gentlemen,

You have reminded the Tanzanian people, Mr. Premier, that contact between China and Tanzania has a history which is much longer than the existence of Tanzania as a nation state. That this is so many of our coastal peoples know from their own traditions, and from the existence of Chinese pottery on old grave memorials and in the ruins of ancient fortifications and palaces. Yet this was a contact between two ruling classes; the people themselves did not participate except in so far as they were the crew of sailing vessels, porters for the inland trade routes or domestic servants in the big houses. And before this contact could grow into something affecting the mass of the people, developments - first in your country and then in ours - brought this trade relationship to a halt.

It is only now, with the independence of both China and Tanzania from colonialism, that this contact can be renewed on a proper basis - that is on the basis of national equality and friendship between the workers and peasants of our two countries.

I believe that your visit has made a great contribution to the establishment of this new kind of friendship between China and Tanzania. After seeing you in our streets, and hearing your words, our people will be in a position to judge for themselves the humanity and the dedication of the Chinese people and their Government. I have no doubt in my mind about their reaction. For we welcome support from all people in the fight against colonialism and neo-colonialism, because this is not a fight against any people, or any nation, but against an evil doctrine and evil practices.

Tanzania's policy of non-alignment does not, and cannot, imply an indifference to those evils. They are a direct threat to Africa, and Africa must defend itself. It is for this reason, in full consciousness of the imperialist dangers which confront this whole continent, that a central place in Tanzania's policy is given to the search for African Unity. For Unity is the only effective answer which can be given to imperialist manoeuvres.

It would be an effective answer. There are more than 250 million people in this continent. Within it there are mineral resources, and an agricultural and industrial potential, sufficient to provide a good life for all our people if they were exploited for the benefit of our

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people. If Africa speaks with one voice then there is no question about the weakness of Africa. The present weakness comes from our disunity, and from the opportunity that this gives others to exploit us and our resources for their benefit instead of for ours. If Africa speaks with one voice it will not be weak even in terms of the great power groupings of the modern world. No one could use a United Africa as a pawn in their fight against others; no one could fight their battles on African soil, with African blood.

The struggle for unity is a hard one; we in Tanzania have every reason to realise that. Those who wish to use Africa will exert themselves to the utmost to keep us divided; their intrigues will complicate our progress. But it is not only that; there are genuine difficulties which have to be overcome when sovereign nations sink their separate sovereignty into a common pool. And there are genuine short-term conflicts of interest which have to be accommodated. If these real problems did not exist it would be easy for Africa to attain unity, because the outside forces would be revealed in all their nakedness when they tried to interfere. But they now camouflage themselves in the clothing of friendship to this country or that, and use our weakness, our pride and our fear for their own purposes.

We in Tanzania, however, are still confident that unity can be attained. All these same factors were present when Tanganyika and Zanzibar were separate states; but the United Republic of Tanzania is now more than one year old, and you, Mr. Premier, have seen for yourself that our people have taken this Union to their hearts and will never allow it to be split asunder. The benefits of this union between two states are already obvious to us; they will increase as time goes by. Our experience makes us say very firmly that neither the machinations of capitalist finance, nor ideological intolerances, nor even genuine human problems of organisation, can be allowed to stand in the way of African Unity.

You, Mr. Premier, come from a united country of 650 million people. Within your great nation are peoples of many different religions, languages, and cultures. But all are united in the determination to develop their country and to defend it to the death. The things I have said tonight will therefore not be strange to you; indeed I believe you would find it strange if Africa acquiesced in the division which was created by colonialism, and which neo-colonialism is seeking to perpetuate.

But that unity is not yet attained, and it has been a country of 10 million people which has welcomed you, Mr. Premier, and on behalf of which I thank you for coming to Tanzania. You and I will meet again in a few weeks' time at the Afro-Asian Conference at Algiers, but it is from this gathering tonight, and on behalf of all the Tanzanian people,

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that I ask you to carry back to your homeland the greetings of this United Republic to the people and the Government of China. In particular I ask you to convey our good wishes to the Chairman of your Party, Mr. Mao Tse Tung; to the Chairman of the Peoples' Republic, Mr. Liu Shao chi, and to the National Peoples' Congress of China.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I propose a toast:-

To the People and the Leaders of the Peoples' Republic of China;
to friendship between China and Tanzania;
to international peace and justice.

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TANZANIA-CHINA JOINT COMMUNIQUE

At the invitation of President Julius K. Nyerere of the United Republic of Tanzania, Premier Chou En-lai of the State Council of the People's Republic of China paid a good will visit to the United Republic of Tanzania from 4th June to 8th June, 1965. Accompanying him on the visit were:

Chang Han-fu, Vice-Foreign Minister,
Lo Ching-chang, Deputy Secretary-General of the State Council,
Ke Hua, Director, Department of African Affairs, Ministry of
Foreign Affairs,

During their stay in Tanzania, Premier Chou En-lai and his party toured Dar es Salaam and visited Zanzibar. They met leaders and people of all circles of the United Republic of Tanzania, and were accorded a grand welcome and warm hospitality everywhere by the Tanzanian Government and people. This was vivid demonstration of the close fraternal friendship between the peoples of China and Tanzania.

During the visit, talks were held between Premier Chou En-lai and President Nyerere. Also taking part in the talks on the Tanzania side were:

The First Vice-President, Sheikh A.A. Karume,
The Second Vice-President, R. M. Kawawa,
The Minister of External Affairs, O.S. Kambona,
The Minister of State in the President's Office, I.M.B. Munanka,
Various Cabinet Ministers, and
The Tanzania Ambassador to the Peoples Republic of China,
Alhaj T.S. Tewa.

And on the Chinese side were:

Chang Han-fu, Vice-Foreign Minister,
Lo Ching-chang, Deputy Secretary-General of the State Council,
Ke Hua, Director, Department of African Affairs, Ministry of
Foreign Affairs,
Ho Ying, Ambassador of the People's Republic of China to the
United Republic of Tanzania.

The talks were held in a most friendly and cordial atmosphere. The two parties had a comprehensive exchange of opinions and reached agreement on the question of further developing the relations of friendship and cooperation between the two countries and on current major international issues.

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Both parties noted with satisfaction that the relations of friendship and cooperation between China and Tanzania had developed steadily and that especially since President Nyerere's visit to China last February, they had undergone an all-round development in the political, economic and cultural fields. Both parties pointed out that the fruitful cooperation between the two countries in all fields fully demonstrated the spirit of mutual respect, mutual support and equality. They held that the consolidation and growth of the relations of friendship and cooperation not only accorded with the interests of the peoples of the two countries, but was also an important contribution to the strengthening of African-Asian solidarity and the defence of world peace. They were fully confident of the broad prospects for the development of the relations of friendship and cooperation between the two countries.

The Chinese party expressed great admiration for the indomitable will and revolutionary spirit of the Tanzanian people united as one under the leadership of President Nyerere in opposing imperialist intervention and subversion and safeguarding their national independence and state sovereignty; and it warmly praised the remarkable successes achieved by the Tanzanian people in their great endeavour to develop their national economy and culture and build their country independently through hard work and thrift. It expressed hearty joy over the fact the United Republic of Tanzania was playing an increasingly important role in supporting the national liberation movement in Africa, upholding African solidarity and strengthening African-Asian solidarity. Premier Chou En-lai took the opportunity to express his congratulations once again on the union between Tanganyika and Zanzibar, considering that this union had strengthened the Tanzanian people's forces of unity against imperialism and promoted the cause of the African people's solidarity against imperialism.

Both parties reaffirmed the views on the international situation, particularly the situation in Asia, Africa and Latin America, expressed in the joint communique issued by the two parties during the visit of President Nyerere to China in February 1965. The development of events had proved the complete correctness of these views.

Both parties noted that in the recent period the peoples of the world had engaged in bitter struggles and serious trials of strength with imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism and scored great victories. But the nature of imperialism will never change. It is still carrying on a frantic last-ditch struggle. Both parties expressed the determination to make continuous and unremitting efforts with other peoples of the world to smash all the imperialist schemes of aggression and war.

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Both parties paid high tribute to the Vietnamese people fighting heroically against foreign intervention. They pointed out that justice was entirely on the side of the Vietnamese people. They held that the Vietnamese people's basic national rights to independence, sovereignty, unity and territorial integrity must be respected, that the imperialist forces must withdraw from Viet Nam and that the Viet Nam question must be settled by the Vietnamese people themselves. This is the only way to a peaceful settlement of the Viet Nam question.

Both parties expressed deep sympathy and firm support for the struggle against foreign exploitation and suppression in Latin America and voiced their condemnation of foreign intervention in the Dominican Republic. They pointed out that the progressive forces in Latin America were rising in a new upsurge. They expressed the deep conviction that, with the support of the people of the whole world, the Latin American peoples would finally win in their struggle against imperialism.

Both parties paid high tribute to the people of the Congo (Leopoldville) who were fighting to preserve their national independence and freedom! In order to strangle the Congolese (L) people's cause of national liberation, imperialism is stepping up its schemes to split and undermine the forces in Africa which are united against imperialism. Both parties held that foreign intervention must cease and the imperialist troops and foreign mercenaries must withdraw from the Congo (L). They expressed the belief that, with the support of the people of all Africa and the whole world, the Congolese (L) people would eventually win genuine independence and freedom.

Both parties strongly condemned the policies of apartheid and racial discrimination pursued by the South African and Southern Rhodesian white racist minority governments. They pointed out that, supported by imperialism, the Southern Rhodesian colonial authorities, disregarding the strong opposition of the peoples of all Africa, were obstinately pushing their colonial rule and stepping up their scheme for "independence" under the rule of a handful of white racist settlers, which was a serious provocation to the people of Zimbabwe and all Africa. Both parties expressed firm support for the people of Zimbabwe and South Africa in their just struggle against racial discrimination and colonial rule and for independence and freedom.

Both parties pledged firm support to the peoples of Mozambique, Angola, the so-called Portuguese Guinea, Southwest Africa and other African peoples still under colonial rule in their struggle for national independence.

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Both parties noted that the cause of African-Asian solidarity against imperialism had greatly developed since the Bandung Conference of 1955. They looked forward with confidence to the successful convening of the Second African-Asian Conference. They were convinced that the Conference would certainly carry on and develop the Bandung Spirit, continue to encourage the struggle against imperialism and old and new colonialism and make important contributions to the noble cause of winning and safeguarding national independence, developing national economy and national culture, strengthening African-Asian solidarity and cooperation and defending world peace. They expressed their determination to make great efforts for the complete success of the Conference.

Both parties held that a summit conference of all the countries of the world should be convened to discuss the question of the complete prohibition and thorough destruction of nuclear weapons, and that, as the first step, the nuclear powers and the countries which may soon become nuclear powers should undertake not to use nuclear weapons. Both parties were firmly convinced that so long as the peoples of the world persevere in their unremitting struggle for peace, the nuclear weapons can be prohibited and a nuclear war can be prevented.

Both parties noted with satisfaction that President Nyerere's visit to China in February 1965 and Premier Chou En-lai's present visit to Tanzania had made, and would continue to make, important contributions to the further strengthening of the friendship between the Chinese and Tanzanian peoples and the fruitful relations of friendly cooperation between the two countries, and to the promotion of African-Asian solidarity.

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED
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PREMIER OF THE STATE
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Dar es Salaam,
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On Imperialism

The two parties stressed that imperialism and colonialism would never be reconciled to their defeat and step down from the stage of history of their own accord. They would always try hard to maintain their colonial rule by such means as political, economic and military aggression. The facts have constantly taught the peoples that in order to win and safeguard national independence, the struggle against imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism must be carried through to the end.

On Imperialism

Both parties noted that in the recent period, the peoples of the world had engaged in bitter struggles and serious trials of strength with imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism and scored great victories. But the nature of imperialism will never change. It is still carrying on a frantic last ditch struggle. Both parties expressed the determination to make continuous and unremitting efforts with other peoples of the world to smash all the imperialist schemes of aggression and war.

On The Congo

The two parties pledged their support to the people of the Congo(L) in their just and patriotic anti-imperialist struggle, and strongly condemned outside intervention in the Congo (L). They stressed therefore that the foreign mercenaries and imperialist forces must withdraw from the Congo (L) and that the problems of the Congo (L) should be settled by the people of the Congo(L) themselves.

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Both parties paid high tribute to the people of the Congo (L) who were fighting to preserve their national independence and freedom. In order to strangle the Congolese people's cause of national liberation, imperialism is stepping up its schemes to split and undermine the forces in Africa which are united against imperialism. Both parties held that foreign intervention must cease and the imperialist troops and foreign mercenaries must withdraw from the Congo (L). They expressed the belief that, with the support of the people of all Africa and the whole world, the Congolese people would eventually win genuine independence and freedom.

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On Vietnam

The two parties were opposed to imperialist aggression and intervention against Vietnam, Korea and Cuba, and expressed their support to just struggles of the people of these countries.

On Vietnam

Both parties paid high tribute to the Vietnamese people fighting heroically against foreign intervention. They pointed out that justice was entirely on the side of the Vietnamese people. They held that the Vietnamese people's basic national right to independence, sovereignty, unity and territorial integrity must be respected. The imperialist forces must withdraw from Vietnam and that the Vietnam question must be settled by the Vietnamese people themselves. This is the only way to a peaceful settlement of the Vietnam question.

On Latin America

See Vietnam for mention Cuba.

On Latin America

Both parties expressed deep sympathy and firm support for the struggle against foreign exploitation and suppression in Latin America and voiced their condemnation of foreign intervention in the Dominican Republic. They pointed out that the progressive forces in Latin America were rising in a new upsurge. They expressed the deep conviction that, with the support of the people of the whole world, the Latin American peoples would finally win in their struggle against imperialism.

On Apartheid and Southern Africa

The two parties pledged firm support to the peoples of Mozambique, Angola, Guinea, South West Africa, Bechuanaland, Basutoland, Swaziland, French Somaliland and other African countries still under colonial rule in their struggle for national independence.

On Apartheid and Southern Africa

Both parties strongly condemn the policies of apartheid and racial discrimination pursued by the South African and Southern Rhodesian white racist minority governments. They pointed out that supported by imperialism, the Southern Rhodesian colonial authorities, disregarding

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The two parties condemned the policies of racial discrimination and apartheid which are practised by the South African and Southern Rhodesian colonial authorities and in some other parts of the world. They expressed firm support to the peoples of South Africa and Zimbabwe in their struggle against racial discrimination and for national liberation.

the strong opposition of the peoples of all Africa, were obstinately pushing their colonial rule and stepping up their schemes for "independence" under the rule of a handful of white racist settlers, which was a serious provocation to the peoples of Zimbabwe and all Africa. Both parties expressed firm support for the people of Zimbabwe and South Africa in their just struggle against racial discrimination and colonial rule and for independence and freedom.

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On Nuclear Disarmament

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On Bandung

Both parties held that the success of the second Afro-Asian conference will be of greater significance to the Asian and African peoples' cause of unity against imperialism. The two parties expressed the deep conviction that the forthcoming conference will contribute tremendously to the strengthening of the Asian and African countries' cause of unity against imperialism, to the promotion of economic cooperation between these countries and to the defense of world peace. Both parties expressed their determination to make concerted efforts with the other Asian and African countries for the success of the second African-Asian conference.

On Bandung

Both parties noted that the cause of African-Asian solidarity had greatly developed since the Bandung Conference of 1955. They looked forward with confidence to the successful convening of the Second Afro-Asian Conference. They were convinced that the conference would certainly carry on and develop the Bandung spirit, continue to encourage the struggle against imperialism and old and new colonialism and make important contributions to the noble cause of winning and safeguarding national independence, developing national economy and national culture, strengthening African-Asian solidarity and cooperation and defending world peace. They expressed their determination to make great efforts for the complete success of the Conference.

On Africa

The two parties were pleased to note that the national liberation movements in Africa are gaining momentum. The African states which have attained independence are scoring one victory after another in safe-guarding their national independence, developing their national economies and culture, building up their national armies, etc. The African peoples who still remain under the colonial rule or imperialism are waging heroic struggles for national independence. The two parties expressed the firm belief that a new Africa, politically independent and economically prosperous and strong, will certainly emerge as a result of the unremitting efforts and struggles of the African peoples.

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On Tanzania

The Chinese side pledged firm support to the just struggle waged by the United Republic of Tanzania under the leadership of President Nyerere to strengthen unity, safeguard national independence and state sovereignty, and oppose imperialist subversive schemes. It expressed appreciation of and admiration for the remarkable achievements scored by the Tanzanian Government and people in their efforts to eliminate colonialist influence and develop their country and it highly praised the just stand taken by the Tanzanian Government and people in opposing imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism, supporting the national liberation movements in Africa, safeguarding Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace.

On GPR

The Tanzanian side reaffirmed its support for the restoration of the legitimate rights of the People's Republic of China in the U.N., its opposition to the imperialist plots for creating two Chinas and its support for the Chinese Government and people in their just struggle to safeguard state sovereignty and territorial integrity.

On Tanzania

The Chinese party expressed great admiration for the indomitable will and revolutionary spirit of the Tanzanian people united as one under the leadership of President Nyerere in opposing imperialist intervention and subversion and safeguarding their national independence and state sovereignty; and it warmly praised the remarkable successes achieved by the Tanzanian people in their great endeavor to develop their national economy and culture and build their country independently through hard work and thrift. It expressed hearty joy over the fact that the United Republic of Tanzania was playing an increasingly important role in supporting the national liberation movement in Africa, upholding African solidarity and strengthening African-Asian solidarity. Premier Chou En Lai took the opportunity to express his congratulations once again on the union between Tanganyika and Zanzibar; considering that this union had strengthened the Tanzanian people's forces of unity against imperialism and promoted the cause of the African people's solidarity against imperialism.

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Press for June 25 reports continued talks previous day between Chou En Lai and Nasser and advisors in Alexandria. Group same as during earlier meeting with addition Anwar Sadat.

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Yesterday Chou visited NASR tire plant and RAKTA paper mill and reportedly expressed admiration for Egyptian industrial achievements. Today he is to visit Naval Training Center Abukir.

Populace continues relatively indifferent to Chou's presence. In this respect some local observers draw sharp contrast with Khrushchev's visit year ago.

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PRESS REPORTS CONTINUED TALKS YESTERDAY BETWEEN CHOU AND NASSER FOLLOWING CHOUS VISIT TO UAR NAVY TRAINING CENTER AND TO NAVAL INSTALLATIONS AND SHIPS ACCOMPANIED BY ADMIRAL EZZAT, NAVY C-IN-C.

REPORTEDLY CHOU AND NASSER RETURN CAIRO BY TRAIN NOON TODAY. IN EFFORT GIVE CITY MORE FESTIVE APPEARANCE ADDITIONAL FLAGS PUT OUT ON HORREYA AVENUE AND IN VICINITY SIDI GABER STATION.

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CONSTANTLY OF VIETNAM. NASSER IS WILLING AND WOULD LIKE TO HELP WITH ANY SPECIFICS WE WOULD SUGGEST. HE IS NOT INTERESTED IN JUST PROPAGANDA MATERIAL WITH WHICH HE IS FAMILIAR BUT WOULD LIKE TO MAKE ANY DEFINITE SUGGESTIONS WE WOULD CONSIDER USEFUL. HE HAS TOLD CHOU EN LAI FOR THE LAST DAYS THAT HE WAS OPPOSED TO ALGERIAN CONFERENCE BEING USED TO FLOG US PUBLICLY AND THAT CONFERENCE EFFORT SHOULD BE TOWARD SOLUTION AND NOT ANTI-US PROPAGANDA. HEYKAL STATED UAR WOULD HAVE SUPPORTED SEATING RUSSIA CONTRARY TO US POSITION EXPRESSED RIAD.

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Chou En Lai accompanied by Nasser arrived Alexandria June 23 for official visit. Met at rail station by governor and principal city officials. Although press states Consular Corps also present have verified no consular representatives invited or attended.

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Press reports Chou leaving station greeted with "tumultuous applause and slogans shouted by thousands". During evening Chou and his group proceeded to Nassers house at Maamra for meeting with Nasser and subsequent banquet. Reportedly Zakaria Mohieddin Aly Sabry, Kamal Eddin Rifat and Mohamed Fayek among those who attended meeting.

Eyewitness accounts indicate reports popular reception greatly exaggerated. There were scattering of flags both countries and normal lunch time crowds vicinity station but demonstrations definitely in low key. In movements throughout city Chou and his group (estimated at about thirty) accompanied by police motorcycle escort and traffic halted. These public appearances have attracted little attention.

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CONFIDENTIAL JUNE 23

CHOU EN LAI HOSTED BANQUET HONORING NASSER EVENING JUNE 22, AT CLOSE OFFICIAL PHASE HIS CURRENT UAR VISIT. AS REPORTED PRESS JUNE 23 CHOU SPEECH IN EXTREMELY LOW KEY. MAIN THEMES EXPRESSED WERE: (1) PRAISE FOR UAR HOSPITALITY, DOMESTIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND NONALIGNED FOREIGN POLICY; (2) REITERATION CPR VIEWS ALGERIAN COUP AN INTERNAL AFFAIR, AND THAT BANDUNG II MUST CONVENE AS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED; AND (3) HOPE FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT NOW "SATISFACTORY" CPR-UAR RELATIONS IN ACCORD 5 PRINCIPLES PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND 10 PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG I. IN BRIEF REPLY NASSER PRAISED CHINESE PEOPLE AND CIVILIZATION, AGREED ALL POSSIBLE EFFORTS MUST BE EXERTED IN ATTEMPT CONVENE BANDUNG II "AT THE FIXED TIME AND PLACE."

COMMENT: CHOU'S MODERATION WAS IN MARKED CONTRAST TO THE ANTI-US DIATRIBE HE DELIVERED 2 DAYS PREVIOUSLY (EMBTel 4477) ON A SIMILAR OCCASION. EMB BELIEVES NASSER'S EMBARRASSMENT OVER EARLIER CHOU OUTBURTS (EMBTel 4479) MAY HAVE RESULTED IN UAR ADMONITION AGAINST A REPEAT PERFORMANCE.

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PRESS JUNE 22 REPORTS CPR DEL HEADED PRIMIN CHOU EN LAI AND NVN DEL HEADED FONMIN NGUYEN DUY TRINH ARE EXTENDING CAIRO VISITS. NVN DEL WAS SCHEDULED TO DEPART FOR ALGIERS TODAY; CHOU AND CPR DEL MORNING 23RD. NFLSVN DEL, WHICH ARRIVED 12TH FOR SCHEDULED 5-DAY VISIT, ALSO REMAINS HERE. GOOD SOURCE TELLS US CHOU WILL WHILE AWAY THE HOURS IN ALEXANDRIA TOMORROW.

THREE CHOU-NASSER MEETINGS HELD TO DATE, WITH FOURTH SCHEDULED FOR TODAY. PARTICIPANTS HAVE INCLUDED, IN ADDITION PRINCIPALS, CPR FONMIN CHEN YI, DEPFONMINS CHANG FOO AND CHAN KWAN, UAR PRIMIN SABRI, DEPRIMIN (SCIENTIFIC AFFAIRS) RIFAAT AND PRESIDENCY AFRICAN AFFAIRS ADVISOR FAYEK. UAR VP AMER ATTENDED THIRD SESSION UPON HIS RETURN FROM ALGIERS. NVN DEL MET UAR DEPRIMIN FONAFF FAWZI AND FONMIN RIYAD 19TH, WAS RECEIVED BY VP AL-SHAFEI 20TH. NFLSVN DEL MET FONMIN RIYAD AND MINSOCIAL AFFAIRS ABU ZEID 16TH, AND DELIVERED PERSONAL MESSAGE FOR NASSER FROM PRESIDENT OF FRONT TO VP AL-SHAFEI ON 20TH. (ACTIVITIES PRIOR 16TH REPORTED EMBTELS 4415, 4409, 4390, NOTAL)

(2) COMMENT: ALGERIAN COUP OBVIOUSLY DISCUSSED AT NASSER-CHOU MEETING 21ST UPON AMER'S RETURN FROM ALGIERS, AND EXPLAINS EXTENSION CAIRO VISITS BY ALL THREE DELS. ALL PRESUMABLY STILL PLAN TO ATTEND FONMIN MEETING ALGIERS. ACCORDING PRESS SPECULATION HERE, FONMIN WILL CONVENE 24TH AS SCHEDULED, AND CONSIDER WHETHER TO HOLD CONFERENCE BEFORE REACHING OTHER ISSUES ON AGENDA.

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CONFIDENTIAL JUNE 21

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CHOU EN-LAI STOPPED

1. DURING ONE-HOUR REFUELING STOP KARACHI JUNE 19 EN ROUTE
WARRIOR CONF. PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI AND FOMIN CHEN YI MET AT AIR-
PORT BY GOP CHIEF OF PROTOCOL MR. R. S. CHHATARI, MAJ GEN SHUAKAT
KHAH, OFFICER SPECIAL DUTY MFA, AIR VICE MARSHAL NUR
KHAH, CHICOM AND TING KUO-YU AND OTHER CHICOM AND PAK OFFICIALS.
FLYING ON WHICH DEL TRAVELLING FOLLOWED ROUTE OVER KARAKORAM
RANGE FROM WESTERN CHINA. TWO CHICOM LEADERS ACCOMPANIED BY 28
OTHER OFFICIALS.

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2. AIRPORT WAS DECORATED AND FEW PAID GREETERS ON HAND TO LEND
AUTHENTIC AIR OF WELCOME. NUR KHAN PRESENTED CHOU WITH MAP OF
PAKISTAN ENGRAVED ON SILVER PLATE "AS PERSONAL GIFT." CHOU MADE
STATEMENT NOTING THAT SINO-PAK FRIENDSHIP "IS AN ASSURANCE FOR
PEACE" BECAUSE BOTH COUNTRIES ARE AGAINST AGGRESSION AND STAND
FOR SAFE GUARDING WORLD PEACE. FURTHER, SAID "WE ARE MAKING THESE
EFFORTS (FOR PEACE) IN ASIA AND WILL DO SAME AT A-A CONF."
NO GOP REPLY RECORDED BY PRESS.

3. COMMENT: PROTOCOL LEVEL OF PAK OFFICIALS GREETING CHOU AT
AIRPORT LOWEST THUS FAR. PRESS PLAY LIGHT.

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IN SPEECH AT JUNE 20 DINNER HOSTED BY NASSER, CPR PRIMIN
CHOU EN LAI FLATLY PREDICTED FAILURE OF PROPOSED COMMONWEALTH
PEACE MISSION ON VIETNAM. UK HAS FAILED TO FULFILL ITS DUTY (AS
CO-CHAIRMAN GENEVA CONFERENCE) TO CHECK US ACTS OF AGGRESSION VN, INSTEAD

HAS GIVEN US CONSISTENT SUPPORT. UK USING COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE
"TO ENGINEER NEW MANEUVERS IN SUPPORT US PEACE TALK HOAX."
THIS NOT FIRST TIME UK HAS ENGAGED IN ACTIVITIES DIAMETRICALLY
OPPOSED TO EXPLICIT NFLSVN AND GDRV PROPOSITIONS. "SUCH
ACTIVITIES HAVE IN THE PAST MET WITH IGNOMINIOUS FAILURE AND WILL
NOT FARE ANY BETTER IN FUTURE." BALANCE CHOU SPEECH AS REPORTED
PRESS JUNE 21 MAKES FOLLOWING POINTS:

1. VN PEOPLE ARE AIDING OTHER LIBERATION STRUGGLES IN
ADDITION TO DEFENDING THEIR SOVEREIGNTY. CHICOMS DETERMINED WITH
OTHER PEOPLES OF WORLD TO SUPPORT THIS STRUGGLE UNTIL THE FINAL
VICTORY.

2. US STEPPING UP ITS VN WAR OF AGGRESSION, SEEKS TO SUPPRESS
STRUGGLE CONGOLESE PEOPLE, AND HAS CARRIED OUT ARMED INTERVENTION
IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. THESE ACTIONS MENACE WORLD PEACE AND
AFRO-ASIAN PEOPLE, WHO NOW NEED MORE THAN EVER TO STRENGTHEN
THEIR UNITY AND MUTUAL SUPPORT.

3. ISRAEL TOOL OF US, WHICH INSTIGATED FRG AND ISRAELI
PROVOCATIONS AGAINST UAR AND OTHER ARAB PEOPLES. ARAB STRUGGLE
AGAINST US-FRG-ISRAEL COLLUSION AND FOR RETURN TO PALESTINIAN
HOMELAND HAS UNRESERVED SUPPORT CHINESE PEOPLE.

CHOU CONCLUDED WITH EXPRESSION CONTINUED CHICOM SUPPORT FOR
CONVENING OF BANDUNG II AND APPROVAL OF NASSER'S COMMENT IN
INTRODUCTORY REMARKS TO EFFECT THAT CONFERENCE MUST SUCCEED.
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CONFIDENTIAL JUNE 21

BRITISH AMBASSADOR CALLED ON ME THIS MORNING TO GIVE HIS REACTIONS NASSER'S DINNER FOR CHOU-EN-LAI LAST NIGHT (JUNE 20). NASSER OBVIOUSLY EMBARRASSED AS WERE OTHER EGYPTIANS. NASSER'S SPEECH (REPORTED SEPARATELY) WAS MINIMUM HE COULD SAY IN SITUATION. CHOU-EN-LAI HIGHLY INFLAMMATORY, PARTICULARLY INSULTING TO US; REJECTED OUT OF HAND COMMONWEALTH EFFORT FIND SOLUTION VIETNAM INDICATING NOTHING LESS THAN OUTRIGHT VICTORY ACCEPTABLE.

DIPLOMATIC ATTENDANCE POOR AND NOTICEABLY ABSENT WERE SOVIET, POLISH, EZECH AND LATIN AMERICAN AMBASSADORS EXCEPT CUBA. NIGERIAN AND GHANAIAN AMBASSADORS CONSIDERED COMMONWEALTH MISSION PUT ON NOTICE WOULD NOT BE RECEIVED PEKING OR NORTH VIETNAM.

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CHICOM STOPOVER

1. KARACHI PRESS REPORTED PREMIER CHOU EN LAI MAKING ONE-HOUR REFUELING STOP KARACHI AT 0900 JUNE 19 ENROUTE AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE ALGIERS.

2. FOUR CHICOM MINISTERS ARRIVED IN KARACHI MORNING JUNE 18 FOR ONE-DAY LAY-OVER TO JOIN CHOU EN LAI AND CONTINUE JOURNEY TO ALGIERS. MINISTERS MET AT AIRPORT BY PAK CHIEF OF PROTOCOL CHHATARI, PAK AMB TO COMMUNIST CHINA GENERAL RAZA AND CHICOM AMB TO PAK TING KUO-YU. MINISTERS ARE: LIAO CHENG-CHI, CHAIRMAN OF COMMISSION FOR OVERSEAS CHINESE AFFAIRS, FENG YI, CHAIRMAN COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC RELATIONS, CHANG HAN-FU AND CHI KUAN-HUA, BOTH VICE MINISTERS, FOREIGN AFFAIRS. MINISTERS PAID COURTESY CALL ON MFA ADDITIONAL SECRETARY SHAHI.

COMMENT: ONLY SHORT PRESS NOTICE GIVEN NEWS OF CHINESE TRANSITING KARACHI.

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DETAILED REPORT ON THE BASIS

Reference: Incoming Telegram 60-15-151

During the afternoon of June 15 after the meeting of the Council of Ministers of Foreign Affairs, the French Government has decided, on a completely satisfactory basis, to accept the proposal of the United States of America.

The French Government has decided to accept the proposal of the United States of America in preemptory and demanding terms, and to offer, inter alia, for GCCAR support on a loan of 100 million dollars, Malagasy and Congo (L). Accordingly, the French Government has decided that insofar as first two conditions of the proposal are concerned, a majority but that it should not be excluded simply because of the fact that it is not a loan.

Although the French Government has decided to accept the proposal of the United States of America, the French Government suggests that the United States of America should be moving up deposit of 100 million dollars in loan agreement which now due for payment in December. We do not however that CHICOMS would be able to get the loan agreement at present.

The French Government has decided to accept the proposal of the United States of America with table-thumping and a lot of noise, and their attitude of knowing what is best for

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GAR. While this particularly true in Ministry Foreign Affairs, where SROSEN reportedly complains of being "tired" of CHICOM attitude, there also preliminary indications personal and official relations of Central Africans with CHICOM are beginning to cool and that initial honeymoon may be about over.

Under circumstances, AID/W approval of \$370,000 Ministry Development Project which received today most welcome. Believe well-publicized signature this agreement, as well as our assistance to women's organization and "Kwa Ti Kodro" both of which about to come to fruition, will help Central Africans keep their interests in perspective.

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DEPARTMENT POUCH OTHER UDEAC CAPITALS

Chinese Communist Vice Minister Foreign Affairs Chi Peng-fei arrived Bangui afternoon June 13 from Brazzaville. Received at airport with minimal ceremony by Foreign Minister Guimali, subordinate Foreign Ministry types and Chef de Cabinet Politique at presidency. Understand visit, which was to continue through morning June 16, foreshortened and mission will leave early afternoon June 15 for Brazzaville.

Understand from source with good contacts Foreign Ministry that Chinese Communists in effect invited themselves and that Central Africans, while assuming visit must refer in some way to Bandung II, are otherwise not at all clear why mission included Bangui on itinerary. Purpose not elucidated in arrival statement which made platitudinous reference to Sino-Central African friendship but steered carefully clear of (#) issues. Chi refused answer subsequent questions from press. Radio Bangui giving minimal play to visit and Foreign Office officials at airport to receive mission were pointedly friendly with Embassy officer present to make pouch exchange with courier aboard same aircraft.

Interesting to note that although ranking members Russian Embassy present in force to receive substantial courier mail

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-2- 609, June 15, from Bangui

on same plane, neither Chinese Communists nor Russians made any gesture of recognition in other's direction and Russians at one point looked away when Vice Minister and party strode by less than three feet away.

Others in Chinese Communist party include Tung Ta-fei, listed as Deputy Director African Affairs Department in Ministry Foreign Affairs; Chu Chi-chun, secretary; Hsu Wei-chin, interpreter.

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SECRET JUNE 15
RE DEPTTEL 2495

ETHIOPIAN AMBASSADOR TOLD ME LAST NIGHT THAT CHOU-EN-LAI HAD VISITED TANZANIA AT INSISTENCE JULIUS NYERERE WHO WANTED VISIT PRIOR COMMONWEALTH MEETING. CHOU APPARENTLY TRIED TO GET FUELING STOP INCLUDING LUNCH AND/OR BRIEF VISIT IN EITHER KENYA OR UGANDA. BOTH REQUESTS DECLINED. WHILE IN AIR HE REQUESTED PERMISSION LAND ADDIS WHICH WAS GRANTED FOR FUELING ONLY.

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OK EMBEOP here reports his Embassy today transmitted invitation
CHICOM Vice-Minister Foreign Trade Lei Yen Min visit London at
conclusion ten day visit Sweden. Lei now in Kiruna, so invitation
given CHICOM Embassy here which promised early reply.

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1. DAR press reported first person statement by Tanu Publicity Secretary Klerruu criticizing Kenyan officials for their public condemnation Chou En Lai's June 5 speech, especially remarks that Africa ready for revolution. Not clear what extend Klerruu tirade authorized by Tanu. NATIONALIST headlined it "Klerruu backs Chou"; Swahili Language UHURU called it Tanu statement.

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2. Klerruu thought Chou statement made all imperialists, colonialists, and neo-colonialists tremble; wished put on record his profound disgust and disapproval of outrageous and provocative allegations expressed by two Kenyan statesmen; accused them of seeking weaken strong Sino-URT friendship which would continue grow and flourish unabated regardless machinations and maneuvers imperialists and neo-colonialists.

3. Klerruu then quoted Chou passage on mighty torrent pounding at foundation imperialism and neo-colonialism and explained "undoubtedly and beyond any reasonable doubt this is what Chou En Lai means by revolution and revolution against whom:.

4. Comment: Klerruu is far-out type, personally unrestrained and radical extremist, none of which moderated by tour in US college some years ago. Note statement published in first person form over Klerruu signature as Tanu Publicity Secretary in contrast with direct MINFIN Bomani reply to Kenyan opposite number on currency breakdown (EMBTel 2636). Both statements reflect strained atmosphere and worsening relations between GURT and GOK. At moment Uganda as silent sister seems much the wisest.

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4	1	2	FROM : Amembassy Helsinki			DATE: June 12, 1965		
L	FBO	AID	SUBJECT: Tour of Communist Chinese Trade Delegation			REF :		
4	SP	5/3	A group of trade representatives from Communist China headed by the Deputy Minister for Foreign Commerce, LEI Jen-min, is currently visiting Scandinavia and will arrive in Helsinki on or about July 10, 1965. The delegation is returning the recent visits of various officials and groups from the Scandinavian area.					
1	1	27	A senior official of the Finnish Foreign Ministry expressed to Embassy officers his suspicion that, in addition to the delegation's normal commercial and good-will activities, it is possible that certain technicians understood to be in the party may also engage in some incidental industrial espionage. When asked if measures would be taken to protect Finnish plants from this type of activity, the official responded that the Finnish industries to be visited by the delegation are quite capable of looking out for themselves.					
AGR	COM	FRB	If posts in other Nordic capitals which the delegation is visiting before July 10 should obtain information to substantiate this suspicion, it might be useful to call that information to the attention of Finnish diplomats on the spot.					
INT	LAB	TAR	It might be added that this delegation is not coming to Finland with any intention of negotiating a new trade agreement or modifying the existing one. The latest Finnish-Communist Chinese trade agreement was concluded on March 24, 1965 and reported in the Embassy's A-532 of March 31, 1965.					
TR	XMB	AIR	For the Ambassador: John A. Blodgett Counselor of Embassy for Economic Affairs					
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INFO: ADDIS ABABA, BAGHDAD, DAR-ES-SALAAM, KHARTOUM, TAIPEI

Baghdad's 1098 (NOTAL), Addis Ababa's 1724 (NOTAL), Karachi's 2374 (NOTAL).

In reviewing Chou's just-concluded Tanzania visit Department notes following:

1. NCNA announced 4 February 1964 Chou En-lai had, following consultations, postponed then scheduled visits to Tanganyika, Kenya and Uganda QUOTE to a date convenient to him and each country concerned. UNQUOTE
2. Intelligence report in January said Chicom diplomat in East Africa stated late last October Chou would visit Iraq, Syria, Yemen, Tanganyika, Zanzibar, Kenya and possibly Ethiopia early 1965 (NOFORN).
3. In February another intelligence report stated UAR had confirmation Chou would travel to Cairo, Baghdad and San'a during March 1965, and propaganda preparations already under way. (NOFORN)

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4. Press reports in Middle East late December indicated Chou would visit Iraq, Syria, Sudan and Yemen early 1965.

5. Syrian and Iraqi Foreign Ministry sources subsequently confirmed Chou visits scheduled but said dates not yet set (Baghdad's 454 and Damascus 464 NOTAL.) Taiz reported, however, Chou visit Yemen apparently not rpt not scheduled (Taiz 299 NOTAL).

6. Use of short range IL-18 obliged Chou puddle jump along entire journey, though he seems to have turned this apparent handicap to political advantage by arranging high level tete a tete at fueling stops.

7. Uncharacteristically low-level reception accorded Chou Karachi on return trip suggests his arrival unexpected.

Recurrent reports visits projected for early 1965 implies Chicom planning Chou's trip related Algiers conference originally scheduled for April. Tanzania dates suggest postponement conference affected this timing.

Department assumes that had Chou intended make customary formal visit Middle Eastern as well as African countries prior Bandung II, he would have departed Peiping sooner touring Iraq, Syria and possibly Yemen en route Africa. Alternatively Chicom planning may call for Chou visit Middle Eastern countries after Algiers with intent exploit attendant publicity to reinforce whatever propaganda themes Chicoms decide pursue at Bandung II. Lapse between conclusion Chou's Tanzania visit and beginning Algiers conference suggests he may have contemplated visiting two and possibly three more African countries rather than return Peiping. BEGIN NOFORN: Department has intelligence reports informal Chicom feelers for invitations from Kenya and Uganda were rebuffed. END NOFORN. Department speculates Zambia may have been among hoped-for stops.

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Department finds it puzzling, given his position and customary Chicom style, that Chou would undertake tiring safari to distant Tanzania to garner diplomatic and propaganda fruits of only one formal State visit. Assuming other projected African visits fell through after Tanzania visit firm beyond possible postponement, Chou presumably could have recouped his losses by picking up Syrian and Iraqi rain checks; we find it curious that he did not, and wonder if he might have decided that it would be awkward to seek to do so in light of reported decision Iraq and Syria, according Cairo Al Akhbar, support Soviets and Malaysia for admission Bandung II.

Cool African reception (Dar-Es-Salaam's 2596, Nairobi's 3088, NOTAL) also raises question whether Chicom tactics at Algiers conference may be affected with Chou possibly more cautious in pressing hard revolutionary line on Afro-Asians.

Addressees comments welcome.

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FROM A VERY HIGH LEVEL SOURCE IN GUAR I HAVE
LEARNED FEW FACTS OF AIRPORT CONVERSATIONS DURING
RECENT CHOU-EN-LAI STOPOVER CAIRO. REMARKABLE
AMOUNT OF BUSINESS SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN FIRMED UP
IN SHORT TIME.

CHINESE COMMUNISTS EAGER HOLD GANEFO GAMES HERE
AND HAVE OFFERED CEMENT AND OTHER ASSISTANCE IN COMPLETION
STADIUM AND OTHER FACILITIES. HOPE FOR SPECTACULAR
CHINESE PRESENCE IN THIS NON-ALIGNED CAPITAL.

CHINESE COMMUNISTS HAVE ALSO OFFERED 200,000 TONS
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Chinese Communist Vice Minister Foreign Affairs Hsi Peng-fei visited Mali May 29-June 4 (A-406). French Ambassador Pelen (protect source) was reliably informed Vice Minister sought unsuccessfully to gain Malian support for exclusion USSR from forthcoming Afro-Asian conference Algiers. This coincides other information available to Embassy that Mali does not intend follow Chinese Communist line Algiers (Embassy telegram 497). Pelen said he understood both Chinese Communists and USSR informed that GOM wants nothing to do with this issue.

Pelen further stated that Idrissa Diarra, Political Secretary US-RDA, had informed him today that there no question Chou En-lai visiting Mali either before or after Algiers conference.

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Service. ~~USIA alerted, will be picked up by GRC, DEPT OF STATE, CIA, FBI, etc.~~

For Taipei: Embassy should urge GRC take action suggested
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FROM: Zanzibar
ACTION: Secstate 989
INFO: Dar-es-Salaam 485
London 170
Nairobi 212
DATE: June 10

Yesterday Karume told former lawyer of Afro-Shirazi Party (protect source) that Kenyatta personally refused allow Chou En-Lai's aircraft make refueling stop in Nairobi. Karume said Kenyatta did this despite telephoned request by Nyerere.

Comment: Distance between Dar-es-Salaam and Addis Ababa, where plane landed, not enough to warrant refueling stop in Nairobi. But, if Karume's information correct perhaps Chou wished to have airport conversation with GOK representative.

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EMETEL 1724.~

FOLLOWING ALMOST SIMULTANEOUS DEPARTURES OF INDIAN FONMIN SINGH AND CHOU EN LAI, SPATE OF CONFLICTING VERSIONS OF WHAT ACTUALLY TRANSPIRED BEING CIRCULATED HERE:

1. INEPT AND INCOMPETENT AP STRINGER (GREEK) TOLD US HE FILED STORY JUNE 8 QUOTING MAURUS YOUNG CNA CORRESPONDENT TO EFFECT THAT FONMIN KETEMA HAD TOLD CHOS IEG WOULD NOT RECOGNIZE CHICOMS FOR THIS YEAR. SAID IN STORY YOUNG HAD OVERHEARD CONVERSATION. WHEN I ASKED STRINGER IF HE HAD YOUNG'S PERMISSION TO DO FOREGOING, HE REPLIED NEVER HAD THOUGHT

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OF ASKING SINCE YOUNG HAD PROVIDED TRANSLATION TO HIM. AP STRINGER ALSO QUOTED CHOU AS SAYING HE WOULD SEE ETH AMB IN CAIRO, CHANNEL THROUGH WHICH RECOGNITION TALKS BEEN HELD.

COMMENT: STRINGER'S STORY (WHICH FILED BY CABLE) HAS TWO NEGATIVE EFFECTS: PUTTING YOUNG IN VERY TICKLISH LOCAL SITUATION VIS-A-VIS IEG AND SECONDLY WEAKENING IEG POSITION VIS-A-VIS CHICOMS SINCE ETHIOPIANS PREFER NOT TO BE ON ANY RECORD AS OPPOSED TO RECOGNITION.

2. INDIAN AMB QUOTING ETHIOPIAN PRIMIN AKLILU SAYS THAT CHOU UPON ARRIVAL REQUESTED HIS GREETINGS BE TRANSMITTED TO EMPEROR THEN INQUIRED WHERE PRIMIN WAS. KETEMA REPLIED PRIMIN OTHERWISE OCCUPIED. CHOU THEN REPROACHED KETEMA FOR NOT HAVING IMPLEMENTED AGREEMENT OF 16 MONTHS AGO TO RECOGNIZE TO WHICH

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IO AS RESULT STRONG HARRIMAN DEMARCHE ON EMPEROR MAY 25, IN EMBASSY'S

P VIEW ETHIOPIAN RECOGNITION CHICOMS NOT NOW IMMINENT AS SEEMED

USIA CASE FEW WEEKS AGO. ACCORDING RELIABLE REPORT CHOU EN-LAI

NSC DURING BRIEF STOP ADDIS JUNE 8 COMPLAINED TO FOMMIN KETEMA

INR ABOUT IEG DECISION NOT RECOGNIZE PEIPING IN THIS YEAR. CONSEQUENTLY

CIA WE BELIEVE SHAH'S INTERVENTION NOT INDICATED AT THIS TIME.

NSA INCIDENTALLY GAVE FULL BRIEFING THIS SUBJECT TO IRANIAN

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REF: TAIPEI 4 (SENT DEPT 1192, KAMPALA 1, KIGALI 129).

FOLLOWING ARE COMMENTS ON NUMBER PARAS REFTEL:

1. OKWANYO CORRECT THAT GOK DID NOT WISH CHOU EN-LAI VISIT NAIROBI. HIS PLANE ALSO REFUSED PERMISSION REFUELING STOPOVER ON RETURN FROM TANZANIA VISIT JUNE 9. CHOU DID SEND MESSAGE TO KENYATTA WHILE OVERFLYING KENYA EXTENDING "BEST WISHES TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AND KENYAT PEOPLE." EARLIER FROM TANZANIA HE ORALLY OFFERED KENYA RICE TO HELP ALLEVIATE CURRENT FOOD SHORTAGE. OFFER REFUSED.

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2. EXTAFF MIN MURUMBI PLANS ATTEND BANDUNG II FOLLOWING COMMONWEALTH CONF BUT THIS MAY POSSIBLY BE CANCELLED BY KENYATTA.

3. CORRECT.

4. AGREE WITH OKWANYO'S OBSERVATIONS INCLUDING OPINION OFFER GRC AID STILL PREMATURE. HE STAUNCH, OUTSPOKEN MODERATE BUT BELIEVE ONLY GRC CAN DECIDE WHETHER IT SHOULD SUPPORT HIM.
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RE EMBTEL 2577

1. YESTERDAY'S URT-CHICOM COMMUNIQUE WAS PREDICTABLE PROPAGANDA COUP FOR FHO. DESPITE ITS OFFENSIVENESS, THERE ARE GROUNDS FOR CONCLUSION THAT CHOU OVERPLAYED HIS HAND AND APPRECIABLY MISJUDGED LOCAL SITUATION.

2. AT BEGINNING VISIT, EXTERNALS WERE ALL IN PLACE. CHICOM EMBASSY HAD MADE MAMMOTH EFFORT SUPPLY FLAGS, POSTERS, CHOU PHOTOGRAPHS, STREET ARCH BANNERS, BALOONS FOR STADIUM, ETC. NYERERE, TWO VICE PRES, FULL CABINET, MOST OFFICIALS, AND HUGE CROWDS AT AIRPORT ARRIVAL. TANU BLOCK LEADERS TURNED OUT THEIR TEN HOUSE CELLS LINE STREETS. SCHOOL CHILDREN SHEPHERDED ALONG ROUTE. LONGEST MOTORCADE DAR HISTORY. FIRST DAY STATE HOUSE RECEPTION GURT CABINET, TANU LEADERS, AND CHICOM DEL FOLLOWED BY STATE BANQUET.

3. CHOU WAS INITIAL AFFABILITY ITSELF. HISTORIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CHINA AND EAST AFRIBGNWENT BACK 900 YEARS. TANGANYIKA'S MAJI-MAJI UPRISING (1905) HAD COINCIDED WITH AND INSPIRED CHINESE PEOPLE'S FIGHT AGAINST IMPERIALISM, FOOTNOTE WHICH HAD HITERTO ESCAPED ATTENTION MOST STUDENTS CHINESE HISTORY. TODAY TWO PEOPLES WERE COMRADES-IN-ARMS "TRULY HELPING EACH OTHER LIKE POOR FRIENDS IN THE SAME BOAT." HE WAS PHOTOGRAPHED PEERING AT NATIONAL MUSEUM'S ZINJANTHROPUS SKULL AND AT THIS STAGE OF VISIT ONLY POINT HE HAD MISSED WAS FRATERNAL SOLIDARITY IN HISTORYS DAWN BETWEEN ZINJANTHROPUS AND PEKING MAN.

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CHOU EN-LAI STOPOVER KARACHI

1. PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI MADE TWO HOUR REFUELING AND LUNCH STOP AT KARACHI ON JUNE 9 WHEN RETURNING TO CHINA FROM STATE VISIT TO TANZANIA. CHOU WAS MET AT AIRPORT BY C-IN-CSSF PW RNAV. VICE ADMIRAL A. R. KHAN, ADDITIONAL FOREIGN SECRETARY, AGHA SHAHI, COMMISSIONER OF KARACHI, ROEDAD KHAN, CHICOM AMBASSADOR, TINONKUO-YU AND OTHER LESSER OFFICIALS.

2. CHOU'S CHINESE CIVIL AVIATION ILYUSHIN 18 RETURN TO CHINA VIA OUTER KARAKORAM RANGE.

COMMENT: PROTOCOL LEVEL OF WELCOME AND WELCOMING COMMITTEE LOWEST TO DATE GIVEN CHOU ON TRIPS THROUGH KARACHI.
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DURING TALK WITH MIN DEFSEC MUNGAI, HE ASKED ME IF WE KNEW ANYTHING ABOUT RUMORED OFFERS TO GURT BY CHOU OF "GOLD". REPLIED WE KNEW NOTHING SO FAR ABOUT RESULTS OF VISIT. MUNGAI ACKNOWLEDGED GOK ALSO IN DARK AND SEEKING INFORMATION SINCE KENYA SECURITY AFFECTED BY CHICOM MOVES IN URT. ADDED NYERERE WILL STOP IN NAIROBI ON WAY HOME FROM LONDON FOR LONG TALK WITH KENYATTA. THIS DECIDED DURING THEIR BRIEF SOCIAL CHAT AT AIRPORT JUNE 9 (AT WHICH MUNGAI, ODINGA AND NIGERIAN CHARGE PRESENT).

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MUNGAI CONFIRMED TO ME GOK HAD TURNED DOWN CHICOM SUGGESTION CHOU VISIT KENYA AFTER TANZANIA. ALSO THAT MURUMBI PLANNING ATTEND BANDUNG II AFTER LONDON.

LATER MET MINAG MCKENZIE WHO TOLD ME CHOU HAD PHONED HIM FROM DAR JUNE 7 OFFERING CHINESE RICE TO ALLEVIATE KENYA FOOD SHORTAGE AND ALSO SUGGESTING BRIEF STOPOVER NAIROBI AND LUNCH WITH KENYATTA. MCKENZIE SAID HE POLITELY TURNED DOWN RICE OFFER, THEN, WITH NJONJO, PASSED ON CHOU SUGGESTION TO KENYATTA RECOMMENDING REFUSAL ON GROUNDS INSUFFICIENT TIME MAKE PROPER PROTOCOL ARRANGEMENTS.

SAID KENYATTA REPLY WAS "JUST TELL HIM I ALREADY HAVE LUNCHEON ENGAGEMENT THAT DAY."
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ARA XR POL CHICOM-USFUR FOLLOWING SUMMARIZES CHOU EN LAI INTERVIEW PUBLISHED CAIRO
FE ARABIC WEEKLY AL MUSSAWAR JUNE 3. TEXT BEING AIR POUCHED.

NEA INTERVIEW OPENS WITH THEME US OPPOSITION POPULAR REVOLUTIONS
IO DOOMED TO FAIL. US FORCES, SCATTERED AROUND WORLD WITH OVEREXTENDED
P SUPPLY LINES AND LOW MORALE, ARE UNABLE COUNTER SIMULTANEOUS,
US UNIFIED STRUGGLE OF LIBERATION MOVEMENTS (KINDLED BY US IMPERIALISM
NE NOT COMMUNISM) IN AFRICA, ASIA AND LATIN AMERICAN. DIFFICULTIES
CLA ENCOUNTERED BY LIBERATION MOVEMENTS THESE 3 CONTINENTS RESULT
NSA FROM FEAR, HESITATION AND PACIFICATION OF IMPERIALISM, WHICH ONLY
DO US POWER NOT RESPONSIBLE. DEVELOPING LATTER THESIS, CHOU NOTES
NEC US LOOKS STRONG BUT IS REALLY WEAK: WASHINGTON SOUGHT WIDER VIET
AM NAM WAR WHICH NOW TAKES IT; PRESIDENT SPENDS 80 PER CENT OF TIME ON VIET
RNR NAM AND DOMINICAN PROBLEM ("WHAT WOULD HAPPEN IF A THIRD PROBLEM
CROPS UP?"); 30,000 US TROOPS COULDN'T SUPPRESS DOMINICAN REVOLU-
TION, AND 50-70,000 WON'T SOLVE VIET NAM PROBLEM.

OTHER PRINCIPLE THEME RELATES TO POSSIBLE ESCALATION IN
VIET NAM WAR. THIS WOULD BE DANGEROUS FOR US, AND EVEN COMMITMENT
100-150,000 US SOLDIERS WILL NOT AFFECT "STRUGGLE TO END" OF
SVN PEOPLE. CHINA "READY FOR WAR IF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM IMPOSES
WAR ON US." US SHOULD NOTE, HOWEVER, THAT THERE 700 MILLION CHINESE
AS OPPOSED 14 MILLION VIETNAMESE, AND MUST SEND 5 MILLION SOLDIERS
(WHICH CHINESE READY ANNIHILATE). "HOW CAN JOHNSON
GUARANTEE FOOD, ARMS AND TRANSPORTATION FOR THIS NUMBER?"

ESCALATION ALSO FRUITLESS FOR US. MOUNTING

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WAR SVN, NVN AND ELSEWHERE INDOCHINA "PRIOR ITS TRANSFER TO CHINA" NOT WORKABLE POLICY FOR US, CAN'T GO THROUGH CHINA AND IF ENTERS

WILL NEVER GET OUT. CITING MONTGOMERY AND MCARTHUR, CHOU WARNS THAT IN WAR WITH CHINA BATTLEFIELD WILL BE IN BOTH FRONT AND REAR, AND US WOULD BE WRONG THINK IT CAN RELY ON AIR POWER WHILE CHINESE USE ONLY INFANTRY. "IF SUCH WAR BREAKS OUT IT WILL HAVE NO LIMITS AND IF AMERICA STARTS WAR AGAINST US IT CANNOT RETREAT." THIS MAKES US THINK TWICE. PATH EVENTS WILL TAKE UNCERTAIN, BUT NOTEWORTHY SOME US ALLIES AND AMERICAN PEOPLE (AS SHOWN BY UNPRECEDENTED "TEACH-IN" DEBATES) OPPOSED TO VIET NAM WAR.

CHOU CONFIDENT EVEN WIDER VIET NAM CONFLICT CANNOT KINDLE WORLD WAR. ONLY US AND SOVIET UNION COULD CAUSE THIS TO HAPPEN AND THEY WILL NOT DO SO. "SOVIET UNION AS SOCIALIST COUNTRY CANNOT WAGE WORLD WAR; AMERICA NOT QUITE READY TO FIGHT SOVIET UNION". IF US-CHINA WAR COMES, SOVIETS MUST DECIDE WHETHER THEY WISH TO AID CHINA. SUCH CONFLICT NOT WORLD WAR, SO CHINESE WOULD PREFER DEFEAT US ALONE. (US MUST CONSIDER EFFECT SUCH DEFEAT WOULD HAVE ON WORLD POSITION SOVIET UNION AND SOCIALIST CAMP.) ON OTHER HAND, THERE NO QUESTION CHINESE IN IMPLEMENTATION THEIR AGREEMENTS "WILL POSITIVELY SIDE WITH SOVIET UNION" IF AMERICA WAGES WORLD WAR BY ATTACKING IT. WESTERN POWERS SHOULD BELIEVE REPEATED CHINESE DECLARATIONS TO THIS EFFECT.

INTERVIEW CLOSES WITH PREDICTION ULTIMATE VICTORY VIETNAMESE PEOPLE OVER AMERICAN IMPERIALISM. CHINA DEFEATED MILLIONS OF US SOLDIERS IN KOREA; VIETNAM CONFLICT DEEPER THAN EITHER THIS OR CHINESE WAR AGAINST JAPAN. VICTORY THUS CERTAIN, AND WILL ONLY COME SOONER IF US WIDENS WAR.

COMMENT: THE INTERVIEW SEEMS TO HAVE TWO OBJECTIVES:

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GOK FINANCE MINISTER HAS EXPLAINED TO PRESS
THAT DELEGATION VISIT IS CONTINUATION HIS RECENT
VISIT PEKING AND SEEKS TO STRENGTHEN COMMERCE AND
INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION BETWEEN KUWAIT AND CHICOMS.
FINAL COMMUNIQUE STATES GOK WILL SELL
FERTILIZERS TO CHICOMS FROM NEW KUWAIT CHEMICAL
FERTILIZER COMPANY IN WHICH GULF OIL AND BP EACH

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OWN 20 PERCENT. DELEGATION GUEST OF MINISTRY FINANCE.
MET ON ARRIVAL AND ENTERTAINED BY FINANCE MINISTER,
RECEIVED BY AMIR. PUBLIC CONTACT WITH KUWAITI
BUSINESS CIRCLES LIMITED BUT STANDARD
TOURS OIL COMPANIES AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
AREA INCLUDED IN VISIT. PRESS REACTION
FAVORABLE, INCLUDING ENGLISH LANGUAGE KUWAIT TIMES
EDITORIAL PRAISING INVITATION TO VISIT KUWAIT AS
ANOTHER STEP IN GOK RECOGNITION CHICOMS.

DELEGATION HEADED BY NAN HAN CHIN, MEMBER
PERMANENT COMMITTEE OF CHINESE NATIONAL COUNCIL
OF DEPUTIES, CHAIRMAN CHINESE COMMITTEE FOR
DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND BOARD
CHAIRMAN BANK OF CHINA. MEMBERS INCLUDE

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REPRESENTATIVE PEOPLES INSTITUTE FOR FOREIGN
AFFAIRS CHEN THAN, DIRECTOR GENERAL ECONOMIC
COUNCIL FOR FOREIGN RELATIONS YANG TWAN KWAI
AND DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOREIGN TRADE MINISTRY WANG
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FE DEPT REPEAT OTHER POSTS AS DESIRED

IO 1. CHOU EN-LAI STOPPED ADDIS AIRPORT 45 MINUTES JUNE 8
P EN ROUTE TO CAIRO. WAS MET BY IEG FONMIN KETEMA AND
USIA OTHER MFA OFFICIALS PLUS HOST OF SECURITY AND REPORTERS.

NSC 2. CHOU REFUSED ANSWER QUESTIONS BUT MADE BRIEF STATEMENT.
INR SAID EN ROUTE TO CAIRO THENCE TO PEIPING BEFORE RETURNING
CIA TO ALGIERS FOR AA CONFERENCE. WANTED TAKE OPPORTUNITY PAY
NSA HIS RESPECTS EMPEROR THROUGH KETEMA. RECALLED LAST YEAR EMPEROR
DDO AND HE HAD ISSUED JOINT COMMUNIQUE QTE IN ANOTHER PLACE
NIC ETHIOPIA UNQTE. EXPRESSED BEST WISHES TO ETHIOPIAN PEOPLE.
AID
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PAGE 2 RUQSDA 110Z C O N F I D E N T I A L

RSR 3. CHOU THEN TALKED PROVATELY TO KETEMA IN VIP LOUNGE. MAURUS
YOUNG, CNA TAIPEI CORRESPONDENT, WHO CLAIMS TO HAVE LIP READ
CHOU'S STATEMENTS TO KETEMA, SAID CHOU TOLD KETEMA AT OUTSET HE
VERY DISAPPOINTED IEG HAD NOT IMPLEMENTED AGREEMENT TO RECOGNIZE.
YOUNG SAID AT ANOTHER POINT CHOU APOLOGIZED FOR NOT HAVING TIME
TO SEE EMPEROR THIS VISIT BUT PLANNED TO SEE HIM IN ALGIERS.
ALSO ASKED KETEMA TO GIVE EMPEROR HIS VIEWS ON VIETNAM,
NOTABLY CHINA WOULD MAKE EVERY SACRIFICE TO SUPPORT NORTH
VIETNAM. YOUNG SAYS CHOU TOLD KETEMA THAT NORTH VIETNAM
SUFFERING FROM US BOMBING. HE BELIEVES CHOU ARGUED LIBERATION
OF ALL ASIAN PEOPLES WAS A CHINESE RESPONSIBILITY. YOUNG SAYS
CHOU ALSO RAISED AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE BUT COULD NOT FOLLOW DETAILS.

4. AFTER YOUNG REPORTED FOREGOING TO EMB SOURCE, KETEMA TOLD
PRESS CHOU HAD REQUESTED HIM TO REPORT TO EMPEROR CHICOM VIEWS
ON VIETNAM AND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE. KETEMA ADDED HE HAD TOLD
CHOU OF HIS IMMINENT DEPARTURE FOR LAGOS OAU CONFERENCE
WHERE HE HOPED TO REMOVE OBSTACLES TO OAU CHIEFS OF STATE
MEETING IN ACCRA.

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COMMENT: CHOU'S OPENING THRUST TO KETEMA, AS REPORTED BY
YOUNG, INDICATES CHICOMS WILL TURN FULL HEAT FOR RECOGNITION
ON EMPEROR AT ALGIERS. ALTHOUGH SUCH TACTIC PREDICTABLE, WE
CAN STIFFEN HIM'S BACKBONE IF PRIOR HIS DEPARTURE LATE JUNE
WE CAN GIVE SOME VISIBLE EVIDENCE OF US RESPONSIVENESS IEG
NEEDS, NOTABLY COTTON LOAN.

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DESPITE GRATIFICATION SYRIA'S BAATH LEADERS MAY HAVE
FELT AT BEING VISITED BY CHOU EN LAI, THEY SEEM TO HAVE
BEEN CAREFUL NOT TO BE LURED INTO AGREEMENTS OR POSITIONS
SIDING WITH CHICOMS AGAINST SOVIETS. CHOU TRIED FOR SYRIAN
COMMITMENT TO VOTE AGAINST INVITING USSR TO BANDUNG II.
HOWEVER, BAATH SEC GEN RAZZAZ (WHO PARTICIPATED IN
DISCUSSIONS) TOLD LOS ANGELES TIMES JOE ALEX MORRIS THIS
MORNING THAT SYRIA CONTINUED UNCOMMITTED ON THIS ISSUE.

AT SAME TIME, RAZZAZ COMMENTED BAATH PARTY IS IN

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FACT CLOSAS TO CHINESE FACTION THAN TO MOSCOW FACTION OF
ARAB COMMUNIST MOVEMENT. THIS HAS BEEN ILLUSTRATED IN ONE
WAY BY SPLIT IN BEIRUT COMMIE PRESS WITH MOSCOW PAPERS OPPOSING
AND CHICOM ORGAN SUPPORTING BAATH IN ITS CONTROVERSY WITH NASSER.

RAZZAZ TOLD MORRIS CHOU VISIT BEGAN TO DEVELOP WHEN CHICOM
LEADER OVERFLEW SYRIA FEW DAYS AGO BETWEEN STOPS AT BAGHDAD
AND CAIRO. IT WAS AT CHICOM REQUEST FOR CHOU'S SECURITY THAT
VISIT WAS GIVEN NO ADVANCE PUBLICITY. RAZZAZ STATED IT LIKELY
FORMAL VISIT TO SYRIA BY CHOU WOULD TAKE PLACE AT SOME FUTURE
TIME.

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CHINESE COMMUNIST PREMIER CHOU EN LAI ENROUTE HOME FROM TANZANIA STATE VISIT MADE LOCALLY-UNANNOUNCED, EARLY MORNING (0045 HOURS JUNE 9) 4-HOUR STOP IN DAMASCUS. AFTER WELCOME AT AIRPORT BY PRES HAFIZ AND ALL AVAILABLE SARG TOP OFFICIALS, CHOU HAD 75 MINUTE MEETING AT PRESIDENCY WITH HAFIZ, BAATH SEC GEN RAZZAZ, AND REGIME'S TOP FOREIGN AFFAIRS OFFICIALS MURAYWID, TALIB AND MANSUR ATRASH.

ACCORDING SYRIAN GOVT PRESS JUNE 9, MEETING OF TWO LEADERS WAS MOST CORDIAL AND EMPHASIS PLACED ON SUBJECT PALESTINE AND VIET NAM.

CHOU REPORTED AS MAKING FOLLOWING POINTS:

- 1) REITERATED CUSTOMARY 110 PER CENT SUPPORT OF ARABS IN STRUGGLE WITH ISRAEL AND IMPERIALISM.
- 2) STATED ISRAEL HAS REPEATEDLY BUT UNSUCCESSFULLY SOUGHT RAPPROCHMENT WITH CHICOMS.
- 3) EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR SYRIA'S SUPPORT OF CHICOM ADMITTANCE TO UN.

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4) GAVE LENGTHY DISSERTATION ON FIERCE STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM OF VIETNAMESE PEOPLE AGAINST AMERICAN IMPERIALISM AND AVOWED CHINESE PEOPLE WILL STAND BY VIETNAMESE.

5) NOTED CHICOM DEL WILL ARRIVE ALGIERS JUNE 24 FOR BANDUNG II AND SUGGESTED SIMILAR EARLY ARRIVAL SARG DEL WOULD HELP ASSILE FCESS OF CONFERENCE.

6) DECLARED THAT THIS BRIEF MEETING WAS GOOD BEGINNING FOR CHICOM-SYRIAN COOPERATION.

ESSENCE HAFIZ COMMENTS:

- 1) EXPRESSED GRATITUDE FOR CHICOM SUPPORT ON PALESTINE.
- 2) STATED SARG DETERMINATION CONTINUE POLICY OF NON-

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ALIGNMENT--AND STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM.

- 3) SURPORTED "JUST RIGHTS" OF VIETNAMESE PEOPLE.
- 4) INVITED CHOU PAY OFFICIAL VISIT TO SYRIA.

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JUNE 20 WILL LAST 3 DAYS. NO INDICATION GIVEN HIS ITINERARY
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CHICOM AIR DELEGATION

SIX-MAN CHICOM DELEGATION LED BY DIRECTOR GENERAL CHINESE CIVIL AVIATION DEPARTMENT KUANG JEN NUNG IN KARACHI FOR DISCUSSIONS WITH TOP PIA AND GOP CIVIL AVIATION OFFICIALS; CHICOMS ALSO INSPECTING AIRPORT FACILITIES. WILL CALL ON PRESIDENT AYUB JUNE 9 IN RAWALPINDI. DISCUSSIONS PRESUMABLY CONCERN EXTENSION SCHEDULED CHINESE FLIGHTS TO PAKISTAN, WHICH WILL PROBABLY TAKE PLACE SHORTLY. (SEE REFTEL.)

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OTHER MEMBERS CHICOM DELEGATION ARE: M.A. JEN HUI, DIRECTOR OF SHANGHAI REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION; WANG YU CHENG, DIRECTOR OF CANTON REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION; YAUNG WEN, AERONAUTICAL ENGINEER; LIU YUANG HSIUNG, SECRETARY OF CIVIL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION OF CHINA; HFU KE CHI, INTERPRETER.
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 NIC PRESS REPORTS CHOU EN-LAI WILL TRANSIT CAIRO EVENING
 JUNE 8 EN ROUTE FROM DAR-ES-SALAAM TO DAMASCUS. UAR DEPPRIMMIN
 RIFAAT, PRESIDENCY ADVISORS ZULFICAR SABRI AND MOHAMMED FAYEK
 (RSR) SCHEDULED TO MEET AND CONVERSE WITH CHOU DURING TWO-HOUR LAYOVER.
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USIA BEGIN PAGE "AT THE INVITATION OF PRESIDENT JULIUS K. NYERERE OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA, PREMIER COU EN-LAI OF THE STATE COUNCIL OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA PAID A GOODWILL VISIT TO THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA FROM 4TH JUNE TO 8TH JUNE, 1965. ACCOMPANYING HIM ON THE VISIT WERE: CHANG HAN-FU, VICE-FOREIGN MINISTER, LO CHING-CHANG, DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE STATE COUNCIL OF CHINA, DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF AFRICAN AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

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"DURING THEIR STAY IN TANZANIA, PREMIER COU EN-LAI AND HIS PARTY TOURS DAR ES SALAAM AND VISITED ZANZIBAR. THEY MET LEADERS AND PEOPLE OF ALL CIRCLE OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA, AND WERE ACCORDED A GRAND WELCOME AND WARM HOSPITALITY EVERY WHERE BY THE TANZANIA GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE. THIS WAS VIVID

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DEMONSTRATION OF THE CLOSE FRATERNAL FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF CHINA AND TANZANIA.

"DURING THE VISIT, TALKS WERE HELD BETWEEN PREMIER COU EN-LAI AND PRESIDENT NYERERE. ALSO TAKING PART IN THE TALKS ON THE TANZANIA SIDE WERE: THE FIRST VICE PRESIDENT, SHEIKH . A. KARUME, THE SECOND VICE PRESIDENT, R.M. KAWAWA, THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, O.S. KAMBONA, THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRESIDENTS OFFICE, I.M.L. MUNANKA, VARIOUS CABINET MINISTERS, AND THE TANZANIA AMBASSADOR TO THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA, ALHAJ T.S. TEWA.

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"AND ON THE CHINESE SIDE WERE: CHANG MAN-FU, VICE-FOREIGN MINISTER, CHENG-CHANG, DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE STATE COUNCIL; KE HUA, DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF AFRICAN AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS; HO YING, AMBASSADOR OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA.

"THE TALKS WERE HELD IN A MOST FRIENDLY AND CORDIAL ATMOSPHERE. THE TWO PARTIES HAD A COMPREHENSIVE EXCHANGE OF OPINIONS AND REACHED AGREEMENT

ON THE QUESTION OF FURTHER DEVELOPING THE RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES AND ON CURRENT MAJOR INTERNATIONAL ISSUES.

"BOTH PARTIES NOTED WITH SATISFACTION THAT THE RELATIONS FOR FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN CHINA AND TANZANIA HAD DEVELOPED STEADILY AND THAT ESPECIALLY SINCE PRESIDENT NYERERES VISIT TO CHINA LAST FEBRUARY, THEY HAD UNDERGONE AN ALL-ROUND DEVELOPMENT IN THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL FIELDS. BOTH PARTIES POINTED OUT THAT THE FRUITFUL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES IN ALL FIELDS FULLY DEMONSTRATED THE SPIRIT OF MUTUAL RESPECT, MUTUAL SUPPORT AND EQUALITY. THEY HELD THAT THE CONSOLIDATION AND GROWTH OF THE RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION NOT ONLY ACCORDED WITH

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THE INTEREST OF THE PEOPLES OF THE TWO COUNTRIES, BUT WAS ALSO AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE STRENGTHENING OF AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY AND THE DEFENCE OF WORLD PEACE. THEY WERE FULLY CONFIDENT OF THE BROAD PROSPECTS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

"THE CHINESE PARTY EXPRESSED GREAT ADMIRATION FOR THE INDEMITABLE WILL AND REVOLUTIONARY SPIRIT OF THE TANZANIA PEOPLE UNITED AS ONE UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF PRESIDENT NYERERE IN OPPOSING IMPERIALIST INTERVENTION AND SUBVERSION AND SAFEGUARDING THEIR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND STATE SOVEREIGNTY: AND IT WARMLY PRAISED THE REMARKABLE SUCCESSES ACHIEVED BY THE TANZANIAN PEOPLE IN THEIR GREAT ENDEAVOUR TO DEVELOP THEIR NATIONAL ECONOMY AND CULTURE AND BUILD THEIR COUNTRY INDEPENDENTLY THROUGH WORK AND THRIFT. IT EXPRESSED HEARTY JOY OVER THE FACT THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA WAS PLAYING AN INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT

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ROLE IN SUPPORTING THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT IN AFRICA, UPHOLDING AFRICAN SOLIDARITY AND STRENGTHENING AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY. PREMIER COU EN-LAI TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS HIS CONGRATULATIONS ONCE AGAIN ON THE UNION BETWEEN TANGANYIKA AND ZANZIBAR, CONSIDERING THAT THIS UNION HAD STRENGTHENED THE TANZANIAN PEOPLES FORCES OF UNITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND PROMOTED THE CAUSE OF THE AFRICAN PEOPLES SOLIDARITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM.

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"BOTH PARTIES REAFFIRMED THE VIEWS ON THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, PARTICULARLY THE SITUATION IN ASIA, AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICA, EXPRESSED IN THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE ISSUED BY THE TWO PARTIES DURING THE VISIT OF PRESIDENT NYERERE TO CHINA IN FEBRUARY 1965. THE DEVELOPMENT OF EVENTS HAD PROVED THE COMPLETE CORRECTNESS OF THESE VIEWS.

"BOTH PARTIES NOTED THAT IN THE RECENT PERIOD THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD HAD ENGAGED IN BITTER STRUGGLES AND SERIOUS TRIALS OF STRENGTH WITH IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM AND SCORED GREAT VICTORIES. BUT THE NATURE OF IMPERIALISM WILL NEVER CHANGE. IT IS STILL CARRYING ON A FRANTIC LAST-DITCH STRUGGLE. BOTH PARTIES EXPRESSED THE DETERMINATION TO MAKE CONTINUOUS AND UNREMITTING EFFORTS WITH OTHER PEOPLES OF THE WORLD TO SMASH ALL THE IMPERIALIST SCHEMES OF AGGRESSION AND WAR.

"BOTH PARTIES PAID HIGH TRIBUTE TO THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE FIGHTING HEROICALLY AGAINST FOREIGN INTERVENTION. THEY POINTED OUT THAT JUSTICE WAS ENTIRELY ON THE SIDE OF THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE. THEY HELD THAT THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLES BASIC NATIONAL RIGHTS TO INDEPENDENCE, SOVEREIGNTY, UNITY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY MUST BE RESPECTED, THAT THE IMPERIALIST FORCES MUST WITHDRAW FROM VIETNAM AND THAT THE VIETNAM QUESTION MUST BE SETTLED BY THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE THEMSELVES. THIS IS THE ONLY WAY TO A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE VIETNAM QUESTION.

"BOTH PARTIES EXPRESSED DEEP SYMPATHY AND FIRM SUPPORT FOR THE STRUGGLE AGAINST FOREIGN EXPLOITATION AND SUPPRESSION IN LATIN AMERICA AND VOICED THEIR CONDEMNATION OF FOREIGN INTERVENTION IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. THEY POINTED OUT THAT THE PROGRESSIVE FORCES IN LATIN AMERICA WERE RISING IN A NEW UPSURGE. THEY EXPRESSED

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THE DEEP CONVICTION THAT, WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WHOLE WORLD, THE LATIN AMERICAN PEOPLES WOULD FINALLY WIN IN THEIR STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM.

"BOTH PARTIES PAID HIGH TRIBUTE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE CONGO (KINSHASAVILLE) WHO WERE FIGHTING TO PRESERVE THEIR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM IN ORDER TO STRANGLE THE CONGOLESE (L) PEOPLE'S CAUSE OF NATIONAL LIBERATION, IMPERIALISM IS STEPPING UP ITS SCHEMES TO SPLIT AND UNDERMINE THE FORCES IN AFRICA WHICH ARE UNITED AGAINST IMPERIALISM. BOTH PARTIES HELD THAT FOREIGN INTERVENTION MUST CEASE AND THE IMPERIALIST TROOPS AND FOREIGN MERCENARIES MUST WITHDRAW FROM THE CONGO (L). THEY EXPRESSED THE BELIEF THAT, WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE PEOPLE OF ALL AFRICA AND THE WHOLE WORLD, THE CONGOLESE (L) PEOPLE WOULD EVENTUALLY WIN GENUINE INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM.

"BOTH PARTIES STRONGLY CONDEMNED THE POLICIES OF APARTHEID AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION PURSUED BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN AND SOUTHERN RHODESIAN WHITE RACIST MINORITY GOVERNMENTS. THEY POINTED OUT THAT, SUPPORTED BY IMPERIALISM, THE SOUTHERN RHODESIAN COLONIAL AUTHORITIES, DISREGARDING THE STRONG OPPOSITION OF THE PEOPLES OF ALL AFRICA, WERE COSTINATELY PUSHING THEIR COLONIAL RULE AND STEPPING UP THEIR SCHEME FOR "INDEPENDENCE" UNDER THE RULE OF A HANDFUL OF WHITE RACIST SETTLERS, WHICH WAS A SERIOUS PROVOCATION TO THE PEOPLE OF ZAMBIA AND ALL AFRICA. BOTH PARTIES EXPRESSED FIRM SUPPORT FOR THE PEOPLE OF ZAMBIA AND SOUTH AFRICA IN THEIR JUST STRUGGLE AGAINST RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND COLONIAL RULE AND FOR INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM. LEONHART

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"BOTH PARTIES PLEDGED FIRM SUPPORT TO THE PEOPLES OF MAZAMBIQUE,
ANGOLA, THE SO-CALLED PORTUGUESE GUINEA, SOUTHWEST AFRICA, AND OTHER
AFRICAN PEOPLES STILL UNDER COLONIAL RULE IN THEIR STRUGGLE FOR
NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE.

"BOTH PARTIES NOTED THAT THE CAUSE OF AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY
AGAINST IMPERIALISM HAD GREATLY DEVELOPED SINCE THE BANGUNG
CONFERENCE OF 1955. THEY LOOKED FORWARD WITH CONFIDENCE TO THE
SUCCESSFUL CONVENING OF THE SECOND AFRICAN-ASIAN CONFERENCE. THEY
WERE CONVINCED THAT THE CONFERENCE WOULD CERTAINLY CARRY ON AND
DEVELOP THE BANDUNG SPIRIT, CONTINUE TO ENCOURAGE THE STRUGGLE
AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND OLD AND NEW COLONIALISM AND MAKE IMPORTANT
CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE NOBLE CAUSE OF WINNING AND SAFEGUARDING
NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, DEVELOPING NATIONAL ECONOMY AND NATIONAL

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CULTURE, STRENGTHENING AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY AND COOPERATION
AND DEFENDING WORLD PEACE. THEY EXPRESSED THEIR DETERMINATION
TO MAKE GREAT EFFORTS FOR THE COMPLETE SUCCESS OF THE CONFERENCE.

"BOTH PARTIES HELD THAT A SUMMIT CONFERENCE OF ALL THE COUNTRIES
OF THE WORLD SHOULD BE CONVENED TO DISCUSS THE QUESTION OF THE
COMPLETE PROHIBITION AND THOROUGH DESTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS,
AND THAT, AS THE FIRST STEP, THE NUCLEAR POWERS AND THE COUNTRIES
WHICH MAY SOON BECOME NUCLEAR POWERS SHOULD UNDERTAKE NOT TO USE
NUCLEAR WEAPONS. BOTH PARTIES WERE FIRMLY CONVINCED THAT SO LONG
AS THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD PRESERVE IN THE UNREMITTING STRUGGLE
FOR PEACE, THE NUCLEAR WEAPONS CAN BE PROHIBITED AND NUCLEAR WAR CAN BE
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"BOTH PARTIES NOTED WITH SATISFACTION THAT PRESIDENT NYERERES VISIT TO CHINA IN FEBRUARY 1965 AND PREMIER COU EN LAIS PRESENT VISIT TO TANZANIA HAD MADE, AND WOULD CONTINUE TO MAKE, IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FURTHER STRENGTHENING OF THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE CHINESE AND TANZANIAN PEOPLES AND THE FRUITFUL RELATIONS OF FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES, AND TO THE PROMOTION OF AFRICAN-ASIAN SOLIDARITY.

"PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA. PREMIER OF THE STATE COUNCIL OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA. DAR ES SALAAM 8 JUNE, 1965."
END TEXT. LEONHART
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ACCORDING UAR AMBASSADOR EL ESSAWI, ONE DAY VISIT CHOU TO
CAIRO AFTER DAR CANCELLED OWING CONFLICT SHASTRI'S PRESENCE.
SAID CHOU WOULD PROCEED DIRECT TO CAIRO TODAY FOR REFUELING STOP
ONLY AND THAT HE HAD BEEN UNABLE LEARN CHOU'S ONWARD PLANS.

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GOK official spokesman statement on Chou's favorable prospects for African revolution published apparently in full text today's STANDARD. Neither Radio Tanzania nor any other Dar-es-Salaam paper had referred to it.

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1. NYERERE REPLY YESTERDAY CHOU EN LAI BANQUET SPEECH CONTINUED NON-ALIGNED THEME AND STRESSED AFRICAN UNITY. REMARKS ON LATTER PRESAGE LINE GURT WILL FOLLOW IN OAU MEETING LAGOS. PRINCIPAL POINTS WERE:

2. TANZANIA WELCOMES SUPPORT FROM ALL PEOPLE IN FIGHT AGAINST COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM FOR THIS IS NOT FIGHT AGAINST PEOPLE OR NATIONS BUT AGAINST EVIL DOCTRINE. NON-ALIGNMENT DOES NOT IMPLY INDIFFERENCE THESE EVILS. AFRICAN UNITY ONLY EFFECTIVE ANSWER TO IMPERIALIST MANEUVERS. IF AFRICA SPEAKS WITH ONE VOICE THERE NO QUESTION ABOUT WEAKNESS WHICH COMES FROM AFRICAN DISUNITY. AFRICA SPEAKING WITH ONE VOICE WILL NOT BE WEAK IN TERMS GREAT POWER GROUPINGS. STRUGGLE FOR UNITY DIFFICULT. IMPERIALIST INTRIGUES WILL COMPLICATE. GENUINE AFRICAN SHORT TERM CONFLICTS OF INTEREST ALSO HAVE TO BE OVERCOME. URT SERVES AS EXAMPLE. OUR EXPERIENCE MAKES US SAY NEITHER MACHINATIONS CAPITALIST FINANCE, IDEOLOGICAL INTOLERANCES, NOR HUMAN PROBLEMS ORGAINZATION CAN BE ALLOWED STAND IN WAY AFRICAN UNITY.

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Reuters and AFP reported excerpts of June 3 Cairo weekly Al-Mussawar interview with ChiCom Premier Chou En-lai, particularly Chou's comments on war with US. Since journal not received in Washington, would appreciate summary of highlights by cable and translation of article air pouched

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Communist Chinese "Friendship Delegation" arrived
Kuwait June 5 to return Finance Minister Jabir's
visit to Peking last February.

Eight-man delegation led by Nan Han-Cqat* identified
in WVUSS* as member National People's Congress Standing
Committee and on Board Directors Bank of China.

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Foreign Office reported it had little information on
purpose of visit and only had name leader of delegation.
We will report further on other members delegation and
nature visit as more information becomes available.

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NSC: GOK has reacted sharply to Chou speech in DAR suggesting
INR Africa ripe for revolution. Statement by official GOK spokes-
CIA man last night recalled that Chou had made similar remark
NSA in Mogadiscio and added: "It is not clear to Kenya Govern-
DOE ment what type or what form of revolution he has in mind.
NIC But Kenya government wishes it to be known that Kenya intends
AID to avert all revolutions irrespective of their origins or
PC whether they come from inside or are influenced from out-
RSR side".

GOK spokesman also recalled that booklet "REVOLUTION IN AFRICA", which banned in Kenya, had attacked Kenyatta, Nyerere and Obote. Statement ended with reaffirmation GOK policy non-alignment in world power politics.

Statement bannered in EA STANDARD which also scolded Chou editorial, pointing out that revolution he advocates aimed at overthrowing popular African governments, that shift as arms used in Kenya are Chinese and that "his words help to set independent peoples on their guard".

Comment: Quick GOK reaction is evidence mounting concern at top echelon about political trend in Tanzania. Also reflects Kenyatta desire to act as spokesman for East Africa lest impression get around that CHICOMs scoring points in area.

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Prior to official statement, several GOK officials commented to Ambassador that Chou committed serious blunder in making tough cold war speech while guest in non-aligned African country.

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Reference: Embassy telegrams 2545, 2546 and 2547.

1. For third day exchanges between Chou En-lai and Tanzanian hosts continue pattern of Chou's rabid invective and abuse against US and Tanzanian rejoinders on non-alignment and independence.

2. At Zanzibar yesterday Chou reiterated his anti-US harangue day before at Dar-es-Salaam National Stadium. Repetitive recitation emphasized current revolutionary prospects ASAF peoples, desperate measures imperialists as tide goes against them, US aggression in Congo, Viet-Nam and Dominican Republic and interference in Tanzania. Peking platitudes included charges US "committing murder, arson and all other evils"; "perpetrating bloody suppression...of people of Congo (L) and plotting interference and subversion against countries surrounding Congo, Zanzibar included"; "shameless and barbarous colonial war against South Viet-Nam"; "naked intervention and aggression against DR and slaughtered large numbers Dominican people";

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"US imperialism is root cause of all evils and common enemy of people in Asia, Africa and whole world."

3. Karume in introducing Chou followed Nyerere lead, stressing non-alignment and resistance outside control. "We accept aid from anyone as long as it has no strings and as long as it helps us do away with poverty, ignorance, disease and neo-colonialism. No one should think that he can come to lead Tanzania in any way. We accept help only as long as it does not interfere with our policies."

4. Today's NATIONALIST editorial "Africa's Economy" echoed the position Nyerere and Karume have tried to maintain. "We are not unaware of those who entertain doubts about our ability to find a non-aligned road to socialism. Time and time again we have declared that we will be camp followers of neither West nor East. They ask how non-aligned can non-alignment become? We reply our non-alignment is not an act of negative isolationism but an active and dynamic naturalness that believes all nations big and small can and should live at peace; that support for movements for national independence should be concrete; that joining this or that military bloc means increasing danger of world war; and that allowing foreign military bases on our soil is incompatible with our national sovereignty".

5. Comment: Tomorrow's joint communique will be crunch and crux of visit. Chou has day free to tour Dar-es-Salaam sites of interest and work on GURT Ministers. Difficult predict whether he has overplayed hand or if Tanzanian avidity for new aid offers or actual implementation existing CHICOM \$48 million aid pledge will push them good deal further than they intend to go. Some suggestion of former in comment made to local pressman by four Tanzanian Ministers. (normally not considered pro-West) that Chou's unrestrained language violated hospitality of non-aligned state and used Tanzania as platform for CHICOM cold war propaganda. Note also Radio Tanzania news accounts have tended emphasize Chou passages on bilateral friendship. Chou in any event has made no effort appeal African moderates or to restrain "second revolution" African ambitions. His public performances
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here have projected less image skilled and sophisticated CHICOM elder statesman than of venomous hatred for West and brutal bloody-minded CHICOM arrogance. Our guess would be Chou no longer expects visit other states East and Central Africa but is staking out predictably harsh and uncompromising position for Bandung II.

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Chou En-lai Visit

1. Most significant aspect Chou one-day trip Zanzibar was speeches given by Karume and Chou to crowd about 7,000. Karume emphasized Tanzanian non-alignment and steered careful course between CHICOMs and Soviets, but gave particular mention GDR housing aid.

Comment: Karume has stressed need for housing and several times made it clear GOZ looking for housing aid.

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2. Chou repeated love-hate theme of speech given previous day in DAR, stressing on one hand Chinese-Tanzania and Afro-Asian friendship and solidarity, on other hand US imperialism in Congo, Vietnam, and Dominican Republic.

3. Speech delivered by Swahili interpreter with about 10 percent crowd leaving during anti-US portion probably out of sheer boredom. Chou visited State House for talks with Karume, old folks home and CHICOM aided rice farming project. Crowds large but not very enthusiastic.

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As one might expect, there has been considerable local speculation that Chou En-lai might visit Mali during his current African tour. While such visit possible, SECGEN FONOFF Boubacar Kasse told French Ambassador he had no information Chou intended visit to Mali, and CAS has reports two reliable sources in position to know that Chou not planning to come Mali on this occasion.

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FROM BANAKO OVER VEENEN FOR "SHORT GOODWILL MISSION."
MEMBERS IDENTIFIED AS CHI PENG-FEI, CPR DEPUTY MINISTER
FOREIGN AFFAIRS, AND KUNG TA-FEI, DEPUTY DIRECTOR AFRICAN
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CONTRARY TO PRESS REPORTS, CHOU EN-LAI DID NOT RPT NOT STOP
OVER IN TEHRAN EN ROUTE FROM KARACHI TO CAIRO. REPORT HAS BEEN
OFFICIALLY DENIED. SINCE WE HAD RECENT REPORT OF CHICOM AIRCRAFT
AT TEHRAN AIRPORT, WE LOOKED INTO MATTER FURTHER AND FIND THAT
IT WAS CHICOM COMMERCIAL AIRLINER THAT MADE UNSCHEDULED STOP
HERE JUNE THIRD EN ROUTE FROM BAGHDAD TO KARACHI. FACT THAT
AIRCRAFT WAS OBSERVED AT MEHRABAD AIRPORT MAY HAVE CONTRIBUTED
TO RUMORS THAT CHOU HAD BEEN IN TEHRAN.

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Verbatim Text

1. At end first day Chou festivities Dar-es-Salaam, Nyerere seems to be managing visit carefully and holding reasonably firm.

2. Major publicity today was exchange formal Nyerere-Chou toasts at State banquet last night and belated release undelivered Chou airport arrival statement. Nyerere's text released with embargo two hours before banquet in time for full reprint today's Dar-es-Salaam press. STANDARD missed Chou's response and NATIONALIST had only brief excerpts lauding Tanzanians as heroic, staunch, industrious and gifted people who had importantly contributed to creation and enrichment of ancient EA civilization and commending self-reliance, hard work, thrift, ASAF solidarity and world peace.

3. Nyerere speech expressed appreciation his reception Communist China earlier in year and recalled long Chinese struggle against aggression and feudalism, dating from National Revolution of 1911. Quoted American journalist

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in admiring tribute 1934 long march. Said Tanzania could learn from Chinese that courage enthusiasm and endurance not enough; must also be discipline and intelligent application policies to needs and circumstances of country and time. Continued on theme of diversity "no single answer applicable all times all places. Each country and each generation must deal with own problems in own way. Different countries of world will see different methods and different systems of economic, social and political organization. Only by doing so will each of them achieve common aim human progress and betterment."

4. He concluded with unusual penultimate to banquet toast: "While we use every possible weapon against our poverty, we have at the same time to guard the sovereignty and the integrity of our United Republic against any who wish to take advantage of our current need in order to get control over us."

"Happily we shall enter into agreements and contracts for trade and economic assistance with friendly peoples and nations from all parts of the globe. But from no quarter shall we accept direction, or neo-Colonialism, and at no time shall we lower our guard against the subversion of our government or our people; neither our principles, our country, nor our freedom to determine our own future are for sale."

"And there is more to it than that. Tanzania is not yet wholly free; because Africa is not wholly free. We can not concentrate all our energies on the economic battle until that situation is remedied. We are hoping, and still working to see that freedom is gained by peaceful means. But we know that whatever happens, freedom for the whole of Africa must be won. And Africa is determined to win it."

5. Full text USINFO.

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6. Still no indication other members Chou's official party or onward travel plans. URT itinerary remains per REFTEL.

7. Comment: Three days visit yet to go. Chou will likely step up pace. Recommend careful VOA exploitations Nyerere statements until all returns in.

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JOINT EMBASSY/USIS MESSAGE

1. BLOCK QUOTES ANTI-US HARANGUE BY CHOU EN-LAI DAR TODAY MASS RALLY NATIONAL STADIUM EMBTEL 2546 PRIORITY.

2. CHOU PRECEDED BY TWO HOUR STADIUM SHOW TANZANIAN MASS ORGANIZATIONS AND INTRODUCED BY NYERERE GENERALLY IN NON-POLITICAL TERMS OF COURTESY. RESPONDED WITH VIOLENTLY VITUPERATIVE ATTACK ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY CONCENTRATED ON US. REITERATED USIA AFRICA LATIN AMERICA RIPE FOR REVOLUTION THEME. ACCUSED US GENOCIDE IN CONGO, AGGRESSION IN DOMINICA, TEARING GENEVA ACCORDS TO SHREDS, POISON GAS IN VIETNAM, AND PLOTS AGAINST TANZANIA, NOTING EXPULSION US DIPLOMATS. PLEDGED ALL POSSIBLE CHICOM AID TO CONGOLESE PEOPLE; WARNED AGAINST IMPERIALIST ATTEMPTS SABOTAGE BANDUNG II; CALLED FOR FULL ASIA-AFRICA EFFORTS MAKE CONFERENCE SUCCESS. SPEECH CARRIED LIVE IN SWAHILI BY RADIO TANZANIA.

3. WHILE NYERERE HAS GIVEN CHOU PLATFORM, HE HAS NOT YET DEPARTED FROM NON-ALIGNED POSTURE OR HIMSELF CRITICIZED US OR WEST. BELIEVE IMPORTANT TERMS AFRICAN OPINION TRY MAINTAIN CONTRAST AND AT THIS STAGE VISIT RECOMMEND AGAINST PROTESTS OR STATEMENTS WHICH MIGHT BRING HOST AND ABUSIVE GUEST CLOSER.

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FOLLOWING IS PORTION OF TEXT OF SPEECH GIVEN THIS
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"THE IMPERIALISTS AND OLD AND NEW COLONIALISTS ARE UNWILLING
TO SEE AN INDEPENDENT TANZANIA TOWERING ON THE EAST
AFRICAN COAST. THEY HAVE BROUGHT POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC
PRESSURE TO BEAR ON YOU AND EVEN RESORTED TO FRENZIED AND
DESPICABLE SUBVERSION. BUT, THEY HAVE MET WITH RESOLUTE COUNTER
BLOWS FROM THE PEOPLE OF TANZANIA. RECENTLY, YOU HAVE UNCOVERED
ONE SUBVERSIVE PLOT AFTER ANOTHER OF THE IMPERIALISTS AND EXPELLED
THE U S DIPLOMATS INVOLVED. THESE DAUNTLESS AND RESOLUTE ACTS
OF YOURS SERVE AS A FORCEFUL WARNING TO THE IMPERIALISTS AND
OLD AND NEW COLONIALISTS: THE PEOPLE OF TANZANIA HAVE
STOOD UP AND ARE NOT TO BE BULLIED.

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"IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM USED TO REGARD AFRICA AS THEIR
STRATEGIC REAR. BUT TODAY IT HAS BECOME AFRONTLINE IN THE STRUGGLE
AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM. IN THE ALREADY INDEPENDENT
AFRICAN STATES, THE PEOPLE ARE FIGHTING UNREMITTINGLY AGAINST
IMPERIALIST AND COLONIALIST AGGRESSION, INTERVENTION, SUBVERSION AND
RPT AND INFILTRATION: THEY ARE WATCHFULLY GUARDING THEIR
NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND STATE SOVEREIGNTY AND ARE DETERMINED TO
CARRY FORWARD THEIR NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC REVOLUTION. THE AFRICAN
COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE NOT YET ATTAINED INDEPENDENCE ARE ALL
ABLAZE WITH THE STRUGGLE FOR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE.
THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH AFRICA AND ZIMBABWE ARE PERSISTENTLY FIGHTING
AGAINST RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND FOR INDEPENDENCE AND FREEDOM
IN DEFIANCE OF THE BARBAROUS SUPPRESSION BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN
AND SOUTH RHODESIAN COLONIALIST AUTHORITIES.

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"THE PEOPLE OF MOZAMBIQUE, ANGOLA AND PORTUGUESE GUINEA ARE ENGAGED IN HEROIC ARMED STRUGGLES AGAINST THE BRUTAL PORTUGUESE COLONIALISTS. THE AFRICAN PEOPLE WHO HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO CENTURIES OF ENSLAVEMENT, OPPRESSION, PLUNDER AND INSULTS OF EVER KIND, HAVE NOW STOOD UP, DETERMINED TO BE MASTERS OF THEIR OWN DESTINY. AFRICA WILL CERTAINLY BECOME THE AFRICAN PEOPLES AFRICA. IT WILL CERTAINLY BECOME AN INDEPENDENT AND FREE AFRICA. THIS IS A HISTORICAL TREND WHICH NO IMPERIALISM OR REACTIONARY FORCE CAN RESIST.

"AN EXCEEDINGLY FAVOURABLE SITUATION FOR REVOLUTION PREVAILS TODAY NOT ONLY IN AFRICA BUT ALSO IN ASIA AND LATIN AMERICA. THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT IN AFRICA CONVERGING WITH THAT IN ASIA AND LATIN AMERICA HAS BECOME A MIGHTY TORRENT POUNDING WITH GREAT MOMENTUM AT THE FOUNDATION OF THE RULE OF IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM. THE REVOLUTIONARY STORMS IN THESE AREAS ARE VIVIDLY DESCRIBED IN CHARIMAN MAO TSE-TUNGS FAMOUS VERSES,

"THE FOUR SEAS ARE SEETHING, CLOUDS LOURING AND WATERS RAGING: THE FIVE CONTINENTS ARE ROCKED BY STORM AND THUNDER."

"AS THE SITUATION IS BECOMING MORE AND MORE UN-FAVOURABLE TO IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM AND NEW COLONIALISM, THEY ARE ADOPTING MORE FEROCIOUS AND BARBAROUS MEANS TO TRY TO STRANGLE THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT. US IMPERIALISM, IN PARTICULAR, NOT ONLY SUPPORTS OLD COLONIALISM AND RPT AND BECOMES THE MAIN BULWARK OF COLONIALISM TODAY, BUT IS AMBITIOUSLY MAKING A BID FOR WORLD HEGEMONY. IT DOES NOT TOLERATE THE ASIAN, AFRICAN AND LATIN AMERICAN PEOPLES STANDING UP ON THEIR OWN FEET AND BECOMING MASTERS OF THEIR OWN COUNTRIES. IT IS UNWILLING TO SEE THESE COUNTRIES DEVELOPING INDEPENDENTLY AND ATTAINING PROSPERITY, IT WANTS TO RIDE ON THE BACKS OF THE PEOPLE OF THESE COUNTRIES AND PLACE THEM UNDER ITS COLONIALIST RULE. IT HABITUALLY USES NEO-COLONIALIST METHODS OF RULE, WHICH ARE MORE DECEPTIVE. BUT IN THE FACE OF THE REVOLUNTIONARY STORM SWEEPING AFRICA, ASIA AND LATIN AMERICA, IT BECOMES DESPERATE LIKE A CORNERED DOG AND IS INCREASINGLY REVEALING ITS TRUE NATURE WHICH IS EVEN MORE RUTHLESSE THAN OLD COLONIALISM AND HITLERITE FASCISM.

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"IN AFRICA, THE UNITED STATES HAS COLLUDED WITH THE OLD COLONIALIST COUNTRIES IN LAUNCHING ARMED INTERVENTION AGAINST THE CONGO (L). AND MASSACRING THE PATRIOTIC SOLDIERS AND CIVILIANS THERE. UP TILL NOW IT IS STILL USING MERCERNARIES COMPOSED OF DESPERADOES FOR INTENSIFIED ATTACKS ON THE PATRIOTIC ARMED FORCES THERE. IT HAS FOSTERED TSHOMBE, THE MURDERERE OF LUMUMBA, AS ITS AGENT IN THE CONGO(L). MOREOVER, THROUGH THE TSHOMBE PUPPET REGIME IT IS CONSTANTLY CARRYING OUT THREATS, SUBVERSION AND ARMED ATTACKS AGAINST

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THE COUNTRIES CONTIGUOUS TO THE CONGO(L) IN AN ATTEMPT TO PREVENT THESE COUNTRIES FROM SUPPORTING THE CONGOLESE (L). PEOPLE IN THEIR PATRIOTIC AND JUST STRUGGLE AGAINST U S IMPERIALISM

"BUT BARBAROUS SUPPRESSION AND TEMPORARY SETBACKS, INSTEAD OF DISHEATENING THE CONGOLESE (L) PEOPLE, HAVE HEIGHTENED THEIR WILL TO FIGHT. THEY ARE HOLDING STILL HIGHER THE BANNER OF ANTI U S PATRIOTISM AND BROADENING AND DEEPENING THEIR STRUGGLE. THEY PLEDGE THEIR DETERMINATION TO TURN THE CONGO(L) INTO A GRAVE FOR U S IMPERIALISM. THE CHINESE PEOPLE HAVE CONSISTENTLY SUPPORTED THE CONGOLESE PEOPLE IN THEIR PATRIOTIC AND JUST ANTI U S STRUGGLE AND, TOGETHER WITH THE OTHER AFRICAN PEOPLES, WILL GIVE EVERY POSSIBLE AID TO THE CONGOLESE PEOPLE.

"IN LATIN AMERICA, THE UNITED STATES HAS DISPATCHED TENS OF THOUSANDS OF TROOPS FOR OURRIGHT ARMED AGGRESSION AGAINST THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC WITH A POPULATION OF ONLY THREE MILLION. THE DOMINCIAN PEOPLE HAVE BEEN FORCED TO TAKE UP ARMS IN RESISTANCE. THE WAVE OF WRATH AGAINST THE UNITED STATES IS SPREADING FAST ALL OVER LATIN AMERICA. THE CHINESE PEOPLE FIRMLY STAND BY THE DOMINCIAN PEOPLE AND ARE CONVINCED THAT NO MATTER HOW TORTUOUS THE PATH OF STRUGGLE, THE FIRE OF THE ANTI U S STRUGGLE OF THE DOMINCIAN PEOPLE CAN NEVER BE PUT DOWN, AND FINAL VICTORY WILL CERTIANLY BELONG TO THE DOMINCIAL PEOPLE.

"IN ASIA, THE UNITED STATES HAS TORN THE GENEVA AGREEMENTS TO SHRED AND LAUNCHED A WAR OF AGGRESSION, THE MOST DIRTY, SHAMELESS AND BRUTAL OF ITS KIND IN THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD, IN SOUTH VIET NAM. IT HAS THROWN AN INCREASING NUMBER OF ITS ARMED FORCES INTO SOUTH VIET NAM AND EMPLOYED ALL KINDS OF MODERN WEAPONS SHORT OF NUCLEAR ONES NOT EXCLUDING THE INHUMAN USE OF POISON GAS. IT HAS RAZED TO GROUND MANY TOWNS AND VILLAGES IN SOUTH VIET NAM, AND SLAUGHTERED AND MUTILATED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF SOUTH VIETNAMESE PEOPLE. AS IT SUFFERED CRUSHING DEFEATS IN SOUTH VIET NAM, U S IMPERIALISM HAS RESORTED TO WANTON BOMBINGS OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM, THEREBY SPREADING THE WAR FLAMES TO NORTH VIET NAM STEP BY STEP.

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"THE 30 MILLION VIETNAMESE PEOPLE, UNITED AS ONE AND DISPLAYING THEIR NATIONAL TRADITION OF TENACITY AND THEIR COMMON HATRED OF THE ENEMY, ARE CARRYING ON A HEROIC STRUGGLE AGAINST THE U S AGGRESSOR. FULL OF FIGHTING SPIRIT AND GROWING STRONGER AS THEY FIGHT, THEY HAVE SCORED BRILLIANT VICTORIES. UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THE SOUTH VIET NAM NATIONAL FRONT FOR LIBERATION AND WITH THE SUPPORT OF THEIR FELLOW COUNTRYMEN IN THE DEMOCRATIC

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REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM, THE SOUTH VIETNAMESE PEOPLE ARE BATTERING THE FULLY-ARMED U.S. AGGRESSOR OUT OF HIS SENSES. THE PEOPLE OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM ARE ALSO DEALING HEAVY BLOWS AT THE U.S. IMPERIALIST FORCES INTRUDING INTO THE NORTH. TODAY, FOUR-FIFTHS OF THE TERRITORY OF SOUTH VIETNAM AND TWO-THIRDS OF ITS POPULATION, THAT IS TO SAY ABOUT TEN MILLION PEOPLE, HAVE BEEN LIBERATED. THE U-S. AGGRESSOR IS BOGGED DOWN IN SOUTH VIET NAM DEEPER AND DEEPER, WITH HIS FORCES STRUGGLING AND BEING DEPLETED THERE DAY BY DAY AND MONTH BY MONTH.

"THE PRESENT HEROIC STRUGGLE OF THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE AGAINST U.S. IMPERIALISM NOT ONLY FORMS AN IMPORTANT PART OF THE STRUGGLE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WHOLE WORLD IN DEFENCE OF WORLD PEACE AGAINST IMPERIALISM, BUT HAS BECOME THE FOCUS OF THIS STRUGGLE, WITH ITS IMPACT FAR EXCEEDING THE BOUNDARIES OF VIET NAM. BY THEIR STRUGGLE THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE ARE TIGHTLY PINNING DOWN FORCES OF U.S. IMPERIALISM, SERIOUSLY DELETING THEM AND THUS UPSETTING ITS GLOBAL PLANS FOR AGGRESSION AND WAR. THIS CONSTITUTES A POWERFUL SUPPORT TO THE ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES IN THEIR STRUGGLE TO WIN AND SAFEGUARD NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, AND A GREAT CONTRIBUTION TO THE CAUSE OF DEFENDING WORLD PEACE. IT IS THE BOUNDEN DUTY OF ALL THE PEACE-LOVING COUNTRIES AND PEOPLE OF ASIA, AFRICA AND THE WHOLE WORLD TO GIVE ALL-OUT SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE TO THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE WHO ARE FIGHTING HEROICALLY. THE 650 MILLION CHINESE PEOPLE HAVE ALWAYS REGARDED IT AS THEIR SACRED INTERNATIONAL DUTY TO SUPPORT AND ASSIST THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE IN THEIR JUST STRUGGLE. TOGETHER WITH THE PEOPLE OF AFRICA, ASIA AND THE WHOLE WORLD, WE WILL FURTHER HELP THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE CARRY THEIR STRUGGLE TO RESIST U.S. AGGRESSION AND SAVE THE NATION THROUGH TO THE END. WE FIRMLY HOLD THAT THE UNITED STATES MUST WITHDRAW ALL HER MILITARY FORCES FROM SOUTH VIET NAM, AND THAT THE VIET NAM QUESTION MUST BE SETTLED BY THE VIETNAMESE PEOPLE THEMSELVES.

"THE SECOND AFRICAN-ASIAN CONFERENCE IS DUE TO OPEN IN ALGERIA IN ABOUT TWENTY DAYS. THE FIRST ASIAN-AFRICAN CONFERENCE HELD AT BANDUNG IN INDONESIA TEN YEARS AGO HAS EXERTED FAR-REACHING INFLUENCE IN PROMOTING THE ASIAN-AFRICAN PEOPLES CAUSE OF SOLIDARITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM. IN THE NEW SITUATION IN OUR STRUGGLE TODAY, PARTICULARLY WHEN U.S. IMPERIALISM HAS EMBARKED ON THE ADVENTURIST ROAD OF WAR PROVOCATIONS IN VIET NAM, IT IS IMPERATIVE FOR THE ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES TO GIVE FULL PLAY TO THE BANDUNG SPIRIT, UNITE STILL MORE CLOSELY, STRENGTHEN THEIR COOPERATION AND FIGHT TOGETHER AGAINST THE IMPERIALIST POLICIES OF AGGRESSION AND WAR IN ORDER TO WIN AND SAFEGUARD NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, DEVELOP NATIONAL ECONOMY AND DEFEND WORLD PEACE. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE OF TREMENDOUS IMPORTANCE TO MAKE THE SECOND AFRICAN-ASIAN CONFERENCE A SUCCESS. THE IMPERIALISTS AND OTHER REACTIONARIES WILL NOT RELAX THEIR EFFORTS TO SABOTAGE THIS CONFERENCE. BUT I AM CONVINCED THAT, SO LONG AS THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES MADE COMMON EFFORTS AND LIVE UP TO THE EXPECTATIONS OF THE 2,000 MILLION ASIAN-AFRICAN PEOPLE,

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THE SECOND AFRICAN-ASIAN CONFERENCE WILL CERTAINLY BE ABLE TO SURMOUNT ALL OBSTACLES AND DIFFICULTIES AND CARRY THE ASIAN-AFRICAN PEOPLES CAUSE OF SOLIDARITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM TO A NEW STAGE.

"DEAR FRIENDS, ALTHOUGH CHINA AND TANZANIA ARE SEPARATED BY GREAT DISTANCES AND WIDE OCEANS, OUR COMMON PAST EXPERIENCES HAVE LONG BOUND OUR TWO PEOPLES TOGETHER. IN THE PROTRACTED COMMON STRUGGLE AGAINST THE COMMON ENEMY, OUR TIES HAVE STOOD TESTS AND BECOME CLOSER AND FIRMER THAN BEFORE. IN THE COMMON CAUSE OF OPPOSING IMPERIALISM AND OLD AND NEW COLONIALISM, SAFEGUARDING NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, STRENGTHENING ASIAN-AFRICAN SOLIDARITY AND DEFENDING WORLD PEACE IN THE DAYS TO COME, THE CHINESE PEOPLE WILL UNITE WITH THE TANZANIA PEOPLE STILL FURTHER AND ADVANCE TOGETHER WITH THEM HAND IN HAND.

LONG LIVE THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE CHINESE AND TANZANIA PEOPLES.

LONG LIVE THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE CHINESE AND AFRICAN PEOPLES.

LONG LIVE ASIAN-AFRICAN SOLIDARITY.

LONG LIVE THE GREAT UNITY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE WHOLE WORLD.

LONG LIVE WORLD PEACE."

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CHO EN LAI TRANSITED CAIRO MIDNIGHT JUNE 3 ENROUTE DAR FROM BAGHDAD. PLANE MET BY UAR PRIMIN SABRI, PRESIDENCY AFRICAN AFFAIRS ADVISOR FAYEK (WHO ACCOMPANIED VP AL SHAFEI ON RECENT TANZANIA VISIT), AAPSO SYG AL SEBAI AND CPR AMB CHIA-KANG. GROUP HELD TALKS DURING CHOW'S TWO-HOUR LAYOVER. PRESS IMPLIES BANDUNG II PRINCIPLE SUBJECT DISCUSSED; NOTES CHOW ON AFRICAN TOUR WITHOUT GIVING ITINERARY AFTER DAR. BATTLE

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COMMUNIST CHINESE PRIME MINISTER CHOU EN-LAI IN BAGHDAD ONE HOUR EVENING JUNE 3 ON WAY TO VISIT SEVERAL AFRICAN COUNTRIES PRIOR TO AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE IN ALGIERS LATER THIS MONTH. ACCORDING PRESS ACCOUNTS CHOU MET AT AIRPORT BY PRIMIN YAHYA AND TAKEN TO PRESIDENTIAL PALACE WHERE HE AND PRESIDENT AREF "EXCHANGED VIEWS ON VARIOUS ISSUES OF IMPORTANCE TO BOTH COUNTRIES PARTICULARLY ARAB ISSUES AND MATTERS RELATING TO THE STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM." CHOU EN-LAI "AFFIRMED RED CHINA'S SUPPORT OF ARABS IN THEIR STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND ZIONISM" AND REFERRED TO "NECESSITY OF COOPERATION AMONG ALL STRUGGLING PEOPLES TO DESTROY IMPERIALISM IN ASIA AND AFRICA." AREF REPLIED GIVING FOUR STEPS ON HOW TO GET RID IMPERIALIST AGENTS: ONE, KNOW THEM; TWO, ISOLATE THEM; THREE, DIVEST THEM OF THEIR FORCES; AND FOUR, DESTROY THEM. BOTH EXPRESSED THEIR WISH TO MEET AGAIN DURING AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE "TO DISCUSS THESE MATTERS."

STOPOVER GIVEN VERY LITTLE PRIOR PUBLICITY BUT GOOD COVERAGE AFTERWARDS. STILL TOO EARLY FOR EDITORIAL COMMENT. STRONG

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CHOU EN LAI VISIT

1. CHICOM PREMIER CHOU EN LAI'S OVERNIGHT VISIT PAKISTAN ENDED AT 4:15 PM JUNE 3 WHEN HIS IL13 DEPARTED KARACHI FOR CAIRO VIA TEHRAN. HE WAS SEEN OFF AT RAWALPINDI BY PRES AYUB, GOVERNORS EAST AND WEST PAKISTAN, THE CABINET AND C & C OF THE ARMY. FOREIGN MINISTER BHUTTO ACCOMPANIED CHOU TO KARACHI ABOARD AYUB'S VISCOUNT.
2. FINAL SCHEDULED FORMAL MEETING WITH AYUB FOR MORNING JUNE 3 WAS CANCELLED ALTHOUGH SHORT INFORMAL MEETING TOOK PLACE. ACCORDING GOVT SPONSORED NEWS AGENCY APP MEETING "DID NOT COME OFF AS COMPLETE ACCORD HAD BEEN REACHED BETWEEN TWO LEADERS LAST NIGHT. A FURTHER FORMAL MEETING WAS THEREFORE NOT CONSIDERED NECESSARY." CHOU SPENT MORNING INSPECTING CHICOM EMBASSY SITE IN ISLAMABAD AND VIEWING NEW CAPITOL.
3. POLITICAL OBSERVERS QUOTED IN PRESS AS HAVING NOTED WITH SATISFACTION FAST AND GROWING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN TWO NATIONS, BASED ON SOLID FOUNDATIONS WHICH RENDERED PROTRACTED TALKS UNNECESSARY.
4. ON ARRIVAL AT KARACHI FOR ONE HOUR REFUELING STOP CHOU MET BY MEMEBERS OF DIPLOMATIC CORPS INCLUDING INDIAN AMBASSADOR AND HIGH GOP GOVT AND MILITARY OFFICIALS. CHOU MADE SHORT FAREWELL STATEMENT ON DEPARTURE. NO GOP FAREWELL STATEMENT ISSUED.
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1. FULL RETURNS ON CHOU EN-LAI VISIT ARE NOT IN AND EMBASSY HAS VIRTUALLY NO INDICATION OF CONTENT OF PRIVATE MEETINGS WITH CHOU. HOWEVER, JUDGING BY PRESS COVERAGE AND GOP HANDLING OF CHOU VISIT IN COMPARISON WITH HIS PREVIOUS VISITS HERE, THERE SOME INDICATIONS THAT HIGHPOINT IN PAK-CHICOM RELATIONS MAY HAVE PASSED.

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2. FROM US VIEWPOINT, ON NEGATIVE SIDE, CHOU RECEIVED WITH FULL HONORS IN APPARENTLY HASTILY PREPARED WELCOME. MOST OF GOP OFFICIALS, WHO COINCIDENTALLY IN PINDI FOR GOVERNORS CONFERENCE, TROOPED OUT TO MEET CHOU. PRES AYUB WAS PRESENT AT BOTH ARRIVAL AND FAREWELL AND FOMMIN BHUTTO ESCORTED CHOU TO KARACHI IN PRESIDENT'S PLANE. GENERAL IMPRESSION WAS STILL LEFT ON PUBLIC OF CONTINUING WARMTH PAK-CHICOM FRIENDSHIP.

3. ON POSITIVE SIDE, ON OTHER HAND, THERE EVIDENCE OF MORE CAUTIOUS PAK POSTURE IN RELATIONS WITH CHICOMS. EMBASSY NOTES FOLLOWING INDICATORS:

A. NO OFFICIAL PAK STATEMENTS ON ARRIVAL OR DEPARTURE OR TEXTS OF SPEECHES OR TOASTS WERE ISSUED, WITH ONLY BRIEF SOMEWHAT ANODYNE ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE STATEMENTS BY CHOU PUBLISHED;

B. CHICOMS DID NOT HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO EXPLOIT VISIT AS

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PLATFORM FOR EXPOUNDING MAJOR PROPAGANDA THEMES, INCLUDING AMERICAN IMPERIALISM, VIET NAM, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC;

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C. CHICOMS DURING VISIT MADE NO REFERENCE TO INDO-PAK REALTIONS INCLUDING CURRENT CRISIS AND IN FACT FAILED TO RESPOND TO PUBLIC AZAD KASHMIR REQUESTS FOR SUPPORT OF THEIR CAUSE AT AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE;

D. PRESS COVERAGE OF VISIT WAS IN LOWER KEY THAN COVERAGE PREVIOUS VISITS AND EDITORIAL COMMENT WAS MORE RESTRICTED; AND

E. NO FORMAL COMMUNIQUE WAS ISSUED ALTHOUGH THIS NOT NECESSARILY REQUIRED IN VISITS OF SUCH SHORT DURATION.

4. IN GENERAL, CHOU VISIT WAS PLAYED IN NOTABLY LOWER KEY THAN HIS PREVIOUS TWO TRIPS TO PAKISTAN. THERE WERE ALSO A FEW VAGUE HINTS IN PRESS STORIES JUNE 3 OF POSSIBLE DIFFERENCE WITH CHICOMS OVER MALAYSIAN PARTICIPATION AT AFRO-ASIAN CONF ALTHOUGH THIS MAY HAVE BEEN DELIBERATE GAMBIT BY PAKS OT PRESSURE FOR GREATER CHICOM-INDONESIAN SUPPORT FOR PAKISTAN'S DESIRE REVIEW OF KASHMIR DISPUTE AT ALGIERS. FINALLY, WE SUSPECT OBVIOUS LACK OF PREPARATION FOR VISIT SUGGESTS IT WAS SOMEWHAT HASTILY ARRANGED AND PROBABLY AT CHINESE BEHEST.

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1. Chou En-lai arrived Dar-es-Salaam 1030 this morning. Large crowd dignitaries on hand at airport headed by Nyerere, Karume, and Kawawa. Native dance groups provided traditional atmosphere gaiety. Chou and Nyerere reviewed honor guard. No arrival speeches by either.

2. Large good natured crowd in festive mood strung out along ten mile route from airport to State House. All leaders of TANU cells had been ordered bring out their people and each African section Dar-es-Salaam had specified location along route. TANU cheerleaders preceded Chou motorcade attempting whip up crowd enthusiasm. Although crowds larger, enthusiasm did not appear match those of Selassie or Toure visits. Local reporters who covered same events concur.

3. At State House, Chou welcomed by tribal drummers and spectators specially drawn from cross section Tanzanian

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life lined road from gate to State House itself. Small reception held for Chou's party and GURT officials.

4. Announced schedule for remainder Chou visit: (A) State banquet tonight. (B) Saturday: official discussions with Nyerere in morning followed by civic reception, Chou to speak to mass rally at National Stadium in afternoon, evening reception by Kawawa. (C) Sunday: Zanzibar visit. (D) Monday: Tour of Dar-es-Salaam and University college, banquet by Chou in evening. (E) Tuesday: Nyerere and Chou expected sign joint communique before latter's departure.

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REF: KARACHI S 2302, JUNE 1 TO DEPT

IRAQI CIVIL AVIATION OFFICIALS REPORT THAT REGULAR
CHICHI AIR SERVICE THROUGH BAGHDAD NOT REPEAT NOT
PLANNED. TWO FLIGHTS HAVE OCCURRED FOR PURPOSE FAMIL-
IARIZING CHINESE PILOTS WITH ROUTE FOR CHOU-S
FLIGHT TO AFRICA. ENB OFFICERS OBSERVED MORE THAN
ONE CREW ABOARD MAY 29 FLIGHTS.
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USIA Reference: Dar-es-Salaam's 2496 to Department.
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INR Neither we nor UK High Commissioner here have any indication
CIA Chou En Lai likely be received here by GOU. Prime Minister Obote
NSA aware Kenya not receiving. Obote also scheduled depart on
DOD European trip on or about June 12.

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AID Comment: Growing moderate opposition in cabinet and recent
PC CHICOM arms fiasco in Kenya make most unfavorable climate for
Chou visit now. We doubt that Obote prepared create further
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Re Embassy telegram 2496.

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1. Dates Chou En-Lai visit Dar-es-Salaam confirmed June four to eight, Zanzibar June six returning via same afternoon.

2. Press and radio headlined visit. Large arrival crowds anticipated, but no announcement tomorrow will be public holiday in contrast Selassie visit last year.

3. UAR Ambassador El Essawi told us Chou will make one day visit Cairo on way Dar-es-Salaam and return direct Cairo for second one day stop. Had no information onward plans but supposed Chou would stay in area until Bandung II. Press has rumor Chou intends visit Mali.

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RAWALPINDI'S 516, JUNE 2 REPEATED FOR YOUR INFO:

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FOLLOWING SUMMARY REPORT BY AMERICAN WHO WAS AT CHAKLALA AIRPORT WHEN CHOU EN-LAI ARRIVED 0800 JUNE 2. CHOU EN-LAI'S ARRIVAL CHAKLALA AIRPORT WAS MARKED BY CEREMONIAL ARCHERS, FLAGS AND BUNTING ALONG SHORT ROUTE TO PRESIDENTIAL GUEST HOUSE. CROWD WAS COMPOSED MAINLY OF SCHOOL CHILDREN. IN SPARE AREAS CHILDREN WERE SPREAD OUT TO PROVIDE CONTINUOUS COVERAGE.

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APPARENTLY MAJORITY OF SPECTATORS ARRIVED IN BUSES. INSIDE AIRPORT COMPOUND CROWD HAD LARGER THAN NORMAL SHARE OF LOCAL DIGNITARIES, PERHAPS BECAUSE OF OFFICIALS IN TOWN TO ATTEND GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE. SHAMIAMA APPEARED TO BE FULL. CHOU'S ILLUSHYA ARRIVED ON TIME AND STOPPED IN FRONT OF SHAMIAMA. HE WAS GREETED BY POLITE APPLAUSE AS HE STEPPED OUT OF AIRCRAFT. HE WENT THROUGH RECEIVING LINE BEING PROFUSELY GARLANDED THEN LISTENED TO BAND PLAY PAKISTANI AND CHINESE ANTHEMS. ACCOMPANIED BY AYUB HE REVIEWED ARMY AND AIR FORCE GUARD OF HONOR OF ABOUT 100 MEN.

IT OEVIOUS IN RAWALPINDI THAT CHOU'S VISIT WAS ARRANGED ON SHORT NOTICE. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WORKED ON CRASH BASIS TO PREPARE CEREMONIALS. RAWALPINDI COMMISSIONER MONDAY CALLED ON GENERAL

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MANAGER ATTOCK REFINERY TO REQUEST COMPANY PROVIDE 450 YARDS OF
PEOPLE TO LINE ROAD IN ADDITION TO CEREMONIAL ARCH. GENERAL
MANAGER REPLIED THAT HIS REFINERY WAS WORKING 24 HOURS A DAY TO

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MEET PAK MILITARY REQUIREMENTS IN ADDITION TO NORMAL CIVILIAN.
HE DID AGREE TO SEND CHILDREN. PAMPHLETS WERE DISTRIBUTED
THROUGHOUT RAWALPINDI ON TUESDAY "INVITING" PEOPLE TO LINE ROUTE.
ONE SOURCE SAID LEAFLETS DROPPED FROM AIRCRAFT. ARCH IN FRONT OF
FLASHMAN'S HOTEL WAS NOT COMPLETED WHEN LUNCHEON GUESTS BEGAN
ARRIVING TODAY. CHOU APPARENTLY BEING GIVEN LOW KEY TREATMENT.
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NSC CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

1. ACCORDING PRESS CHICOM PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI AND PRES AYUB MET TWICE DURING CHOU'S OVERNIGHT VISIT TO RAWALPINDI JUNE 2-3 AND EXCHANGED VIEWS ON ISSUES LIKELY ARISE AT FORTHCOMING AFRO-ASIAN

CONFERENCE THEY ALSO REVIEWED "GRAVE SITUATION ARISING FROM INDIA'S WARLIKE PREPARATION ON PAKISTAN FRONTIER." AT FIRST TWO-HOUR MEETING ON MORNING JUNE 2, CHOU EN-LAI ACCOMPANIED BY DEPFONMIN CHANG HAN-TU AND OTHER SENIOR CHICOM OFFICIALS. AYUB ASSISTED BY FONMIN BHUTTO, FONSEC AZIZ AHMED, ADD FONSEC AGHA SHAHI AND MFA DIR KAISER RASHID. IN TWO AND ONE HALF HOUR AFTERNOON SESSION TWO LEADERS ASSISTED ONLY BY BHUTTO AND CHANG HAN-TU. NO FORMAL COMMUNIQUE EXPECTED.

2. BOTH DAWN AND MORNING NEWS QUOTED "POLITICAL OBSERVERS" AS ATTACHING SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE TO VISIT, LINKING IT TO VISIT OF MD. BEN YAZID, BEN BELLA'S EMISSARY. "OBSERVERS" STATED BOTH BEN BELLA AND CHOU ANXIOUS TO KNOW PAK ATTITUDE TOWARD SOME PROBLEMS OF AFRO-ASIA, FOR EXAMPLE MALAYSIA, ON WHICH THERE COMPLETE INDONESIAN-CHINESE ACCORD. OTHER COUNTRIES "MAY NOT FIND THEMSELVES AS CLOSE TO PEKING AND DJAKARTA." PRESS TOOK NOTE OF TEHRAN STOPOVER BY CHINESE PREMIER, SAYING NO SIGNIFICANCE ATTACHED AS IRAN HAS NO DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH PEKING. "NEVERTHELESS, ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE IN RAWALPINDI TO BRING COMMIE CHINA AND TWO MUSLIM RCD MEMBERS CLOSER." IN THIS CONNECTION, OBSERVERS SAID PEKING RADIO RECENTLY TONED DOWN ITS PERSIAN LANGUAGE BROADCASTS.

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3. KASHMIR LEADERS SOUGHT TO ENLIST AID OF CHOU EN-LAI TO RAISE QUESTION OF SELF-DETERMINATION FOR KASHMIR PEOPLE AT FORHCOMING AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE.

KHWAJA GHULAM DIN WANI, GENSEC OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR MUSLIM CONFERENCE, SUBMITTED MEMORANDUM STATING KASHMIRIS PREPARED TO ACCEPT MEDIATION OF ANY AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRY TO RESOLVE KASHMIR ISSUE. "WE WOULD WHOLEHEARTEDLY WELCOME A JOINT MEDIATION ATTEMPT BY CHOU EN-LAI, PRES SUKARNO AND PRES NASSER."

4. OTHER KASHMIR LEADERS ATTEMPTED TO ENLIST CHOU EN-LAI'S AID, INCLUDING FORMER AZAD KASHMIR PRES K.H. KHURSHID, MIR NOOR MOHAMMAD, ALAM SARTAJ, AND AMIN MUKTAR, GENSEC KASHMIR LIBERATION MOVEMENT. STATEMENT DREW ATTENTION TO "WAVE OF SUPPRESSION LET LOOSE ON INNOCENT MEN AND WOMEN IN KASHMIR BY INDIAN OCCUPYING HORDE," EXPRESSED HOPE THAT CHOU WOULD PERSUADE AFRO-ASIAN CONF TO FIND SOLUTION TO KASHMIR ISSUE. MUKTAR SAID THAT "WESTERN ARMS AID HAS MADE INDIA PARTNER IN ANGLO-AMERICAN PLAN FOR DOMINATION OF ASIA AND THAT ILLEGAL OCCUPATION KASHMIR BY INDIAN TROOPS WAS CHALLENGE TO POWERS DEDICATED TO ELIMINATE COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM." NO REACTION FROM CHOU REPORTED.

5. PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI ARRIVED IN RAWALPINDI BY CHCOM IL 18 VIA SIAN AND KHOTAN OVER KARAKORAM RANGE.

THIS FIRST TIME CHINESE LEADERS HAVE EXITED CHINA VIA THIS ROUTE. PARTY SPENT ONENIGHT EACH IN BOTH SIAN AND KHOTAN, ARRIVING RAWALPINDI 8A.M., JUNE 2. CHOU MET AT AIRPORT BY AYUT, BHUTTO, GOVERNORS EAST AND WEST PAKISTAN, C-IN-C PAK ARMY, GENERAL MUSA, ALL MEMBERS OF CABINET, NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SPEAKER, MOHAMMED BEN YAZID, MEMBERS OF DIPLOMATIC CORPS. CHOU GAVE PREPARED STATEMENT AT AIRPORT NOTING FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES WAS "POSITIVE FACTOR" IN PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION. NOTING THIS THIRD VISIT IN RECENT MONTHS, HE SAID HE ALWAYS ACCORDED WARM WELCOME. CHOU SAID PAK-CHINESE FRIENDSHIP HAD UNDERGONE REMARKABLE DEVELOPMENT, COOPERATION BETWEEN THEM HAD BEEN FRUITFUL, AND HE CONVINCED FRIENDSHIP WOULD BE FURTHER STRENGTHENED. SEE REFTTEL FOR ACCESSMENT PAK PREPARATIONS FOR VISIT, AND ACCOUNT CHOU'S ARRIVAL. NO WELCOME STATEMENT ISSUED BY PAKS. BHUTTO GAVE CHOU LUNCHEON ATTENDED BY GOVERNORS OF BOTH PROVINCES, SPEAKER OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, CABINET MINISTERS AND MFA OFFICIALS. IN EVEING PRES AYUB GAVE BANQUET WHICH ATTENDED BY SAME OFFICIALS. CHOU SCHEDULED DEPART RAWALPINDI AT NOON JUNE 3 FOR BRIEF REFUELING STOP AT KARACHI, PRIOR TO TAKING OFF FOR DAR ES SALAAM VIA TEHRAN AND CAIRO.

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ONLY INFO ON CHOU VISIT TO TANZANIA AVAILABLE HERE IS PRESS
REPORT OF TANZANIAN OFFICIAL RELEASE TO EFFECT CHOU TO ARRIVE
DAR-ES-SALAAM JUNE 4 FOR FOUR DAY VISIT. PRESS SAID HE WOULD
VISIT ZANZIBAR JUNE 6.

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DATE: June 2

Re: Embassy telegram 2496

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1. GURT still maintaining curious silence on Chou En Lai visit. No government announcement yet on exact date arrival, length of stay or program. STANDARD speculated today Chou arriving June 4 and reported announcement from Zanzibar fixing date Chou's island visit as June 6 rather than June 5 as reported reference telegram.

2. Missionary from Kilimanjaro area who arrived Dar-es-Salaam today told yesterday by regional official Chou En Lai's Northern tour now cancelled. This was to include visits to Moshi, Arusha, Mwanza and flight over Bukoba. Cancellation Arusha visit reported Embassy telegram 2471.

3. STANDARD briefly noted Chou En Lai arrived Karachi today for talks with Ayub Khan. Appreciate any information available Karachi re Tanzanian leg and Chou itinerary thereafter.

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FROM: Dar-es-Salaam

ACTION: Secstate 2496

INFO: Kampala 404
London 478
Nairobi 650
Zanzibar 377
Hong Kong 60
Lagos 76
Lusaka 215
Moscow 59
New York 92

DATE: June 1

Re: EMBTEL 2489.

RSR

1. Latest Chou En-lai rumor sets ETA June 4 instead of June 3. Press today reported and British confirm he arriving Rawalpindi June 2 for one day visit.

2. Ministry External Affairs has put Twiga Hotel completely at disposal Chinese in Chou's party. However, manager reports Chou En-lai will stay at State House.

3. NATIONALIST article said Chou will visit Zanzibar June 5 for six hour visit. Will address mass rally there. Following official luncheon will depart for Mwanza.

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C O N F I D E N T I A L JUNE 1

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VICE FOMIN YANG TOLD POL COUNSELOR JUNE 1 THAT DING MOU-SHIH

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MET JOHN OKWANYO, KENYAN MP IN KAMPALA MAY 28 AT LATTER'S

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INITIATIVE. OKWANYO TOLD DING FOLLOWING:

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1. KENYAN GOVT "WILL NOT WELCOME CHOU EN-LAI TO VISIT NAIROBI."
YANG ASSUMES THAT CHICOMS HAVE APPROACHED KENYA EITHER INVITE OR
RECEIVE CHOU BEFORE ALGIERS CONFERENCE AND THAT KENYA HAS REACHED
DECISION AS REPORTED TO DING.

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2. KENYA WILL NOT ATTEND BANDUNG II.

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3. KENYATTA HAS VERY BAD IMPRESSION OF CHICOMS AND GREATLY
ANNOYED BY SHIPMENT OF CHICOM ARMS TO YGANDA VIA KENYA WITHOUT

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NOTIFICATION. KENYATTA ORIGINALLY INTENDED CONFISCATE SHIPMENT,
ONLY RELEASED ARMS ON PERSONAL REQUEST OF OBOTE.

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4. OKWANYO REGARDS THESE DEVELOPMENTS IN SITUATION AS FAVORABLE
TO ANTI-COMMUNISTS. CONTINUED EFFORTS REQUIRED BUT HE COUNSELS
THAT OFFER GRC AID, SUCH AS PROVISION SUGAR MILL TECHNICIANS,
STILL PREMATURE. HOWEVER, HE NEEDS SOME FINANCIAL SUPPORT.

DING REPORTS CONTACT WITH OKWANYO HAMPERED BY CLOSE SURVEILLANCE
UGANDA SECURITY AGENTS. OKWANYO EXPECTS VISIT KIGALI SOON FOR
FURTHER CONTACT. DING LEFT UGANDA MAY 29, REPORTEDLY WITH SECURITY
ESCORT TO BORDER.

YANG WOULD APPRECIATE DEPT AND IMBASSY NAIROBI COMMENT AND
SUGGESTIONS.

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RE EMBTELS 2437 AND 2467

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1. KAMBONA PRIVATELY TOLD LOCAL JOURNALISTS TODAY CHOU EN-LAI VISIT DAR NOW CONFIRMED JUNE 3 THROUGH 6. ADVANCE PARTY ABOUT 50 PEKINGESE GENTLEMEN ARRIVED YESTERDAY ON ILYUSHIN.

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2. ALTHOUGH WE HAVE HAD INTIMATIONS CHOU VISIT FOR SOME TIME (EMBTELS 1826 AND 2194), AVAILABLE INDICATORS SUGGEST DATES SUDDENLY DECIDED FOR SOME SPECIAL CHICOM PURPOSE AND PROBABLY AT CHICOM INITIATIVE AS WAS CHOU'S ABORTIVE 1964 VISIT CANCELLED IN ARMY MUTINY AFTERMATH.

3. DESPITE SHORT LEAD TIME GURT STATEMENT MAY 22 ANNOUNCING CHOU VISIT SPECIFIED ONLY "EARLY IN JUNE". THERE HAS STILL BEEN NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT DAR DATES OR INDICATION CHOU'S ONWARD PLANS. LATE YESTERDAY DAR PRINTING PRESS HANDLING OFFICIAL PROGRAMS AND BANQUET MENUS HAD NOT BEEN GIVEN DATES FOR INSERTION. OVER WEEK-END LOCAL REPORTER HEARD DISPUTE IN EXTAFFS BETWEEN CHICOMS AND GURT OVER LENGTH VISIT WHICH GURT LIMITED TO THREE DAYS, AND CHICOMS ATTEMPTED EXTEND. CHICOMS RELUCTANTLY AGREED BUT INSISTED CHOU'S ARRIVAL BE

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-2- 2489, MAY 31, FROM DAR-ES-SALAAM

TIMED OBTAIN MAXIMUM EXPOSURE DURING 72 HOURS.

4. SPECULATIVELY VISIT ARRANGED AFTER DAR DATES MEETING COMMITTEE OF 24 ESTABLISHED (A) PERMIT CHOU EXPATiate PUBLICLY OR PRIVATELY ON CHICOM PRESCRIPTIONS FOR REVOLUTIONARY AGGRESSIVENESS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA, (B) OFFSET IMPACT SOVIET EXERTION IN COMMITTEE ON NATIONALIST REPS ASSEMBLED HERE, AND (C) FRAMATIZE CHIREP ISSUE IN TERMS AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENT. NONE OF THIS WOULD EXCLUDE AND MUCH OF IT WOULD BE FACILITATED BY ANNOUNCEMENT MAJOR CHICOM AID OFFER TO GURT.

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FROM: Zanzibar

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Usually reliable source quotes Thabit Kombo as saying Chou En-Lai will visit Zanzibar for several hours June 5. Newspaper and radio reports possible illness Mao Tse-Tung have generated rumors here Chou's Tanzania visit will be postponed.

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1. PAK PRESS MAY 31 CARRY BRIEF REPORT ATTRIBUTED TO OFFICIAL SOURCES THAT CHOU EN-LAI WILL ARRIVE RAWALPINDI JUNE 2 FOR APPROXIMATELY 24 HOUR STOP-OVER.

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2. PRESS MAY 31 ALSO REPORT ALGERIA' MOHAMMAD YAZID, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF BEN BELLA, WILL ARRIVE PAKISTAN JUNE 1 FOR TWO-DAY VISIT AND TALKS WITH PRES AYUB AND FORMIN BHUTTO.

3. COMMENT: BELIEVE BOTH VISITS RELATED TO AA CONFERENCE WITH CHOU VISIT PROBABLY ALSO LINKED TO NEW CHICOM AIR SERVICE FROM PEKING VIA BAGHDAD TO CAIRO WHICH, ACCORDING PRESS REPORT FROM CAIRO, CHOU WILL FORMALLY INAUGURATE DURING FORTHCOMING VISIT TO UAR.

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NSC SURENDRA SINGH, DIRECTOR, AMERICAN DIVISION, NEA, CONFIRMED
THAT FOMIN SUREN SINGH ALSO TRAVELLING IN CONNECTION GOI
INR EFFORTS OBTAIN SUPPORT ITS POSITION FOR UPCOMING AA MEETING.
CIA ALGILAS.

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DOD FOMIN TO VISIT EAST AFRICA, SPECIFICALLY NAIROBI, KAMPALA,
NIC ADDIS, AND POSSIBLY KHARTOUM. HE UNDERSTAND LATTER VISIT
DAC LIKELY BUT NOT COMPLETELY FIRMED UP.

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ORIGINAL FOMIN SCHEDULE CALLED FOR VISIT DAR JUNE 6 AND 7,
BUT INDIA'S ADVISED THIS CONFLICTS WITH TANZANIAN PLANS RECEIVE
CHOU EN LAY THOSE DATES. REVERSE SITUATION OCCURRED WITH CHOU
VISIT KENYA. THUS SUREN SINGH WILL NOT REPEAT NOT VISIT
DAR NOR WILL CHOU VISIT NAIROBI. GREENE

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DATE: May 28

Reference: Embassy telegram 2467

1. City gradually acquiring festive air preparation Chou En-lai visit. Banners being set up along route from airport. 25,000 pictures Chou being printed in addition paper flags.

2. While there has been no further official announcement since Minister Information statement May 22 (Embassy telegram 2437), STANDARD today carried front page article "Dar-es-Salaam Prepares Big Welcome For Chou" which summarized all current rumors. Said Chou now expected June 2 instead of June 3; State banquet and luncheon by City Council are on program; Chou will visit Zanzibar and possibly Arusha or Moshi.

3. Embassy has reports Chou's party arriving in two planes, one with advance party due June 1. Have also heard Arusha visit cancelled. Another current rumor picked up by local reporters is that Chou plans make large aid offer, possibly finance Tanzania/Zambia rail link.

4. Official silence since May 22 re Chou visit puzzling. Local pressmen unable elicit any official statements. Only

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-2- 2471, May 28, from Dar-es-Salaam

other comments were City Council's announcement of luncheon and Kambona's Africa Day speech in Morogoro where he urged Tanzanians there travel Dar-es-Salaam welcome Chou.

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FOREIGN MINISTRY UNDERSECRETARY TOLD EMBOFF MAY 26 CHINESE DEPUTY FOMIN CHIPENG-FEI CAME AT OWN REQUEST TO DISCUSS GOM VIEWS ON NUMBER OF ISSUES, PARTICULARLY VIETNAM AND BANDUNG 11. MINISTRY OFFICIAL SAID GOM REFUSEDENE DISSUADED FROM FIRM GOM SUPPORT OF US POSITION IN VIETNAM AND IN FAVOR SOVIET ATTENDANCE BANDUNG 11. CHI DELIVERED MESSAGE FROM CHOU EN-LAI IN AUDIENCE WITH KING MAY 25, BEFORE DEPARTURE FOR ALGIERS.

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Algiers 55
Bangui 6

DATE: May 27

Reference Embassy Telegrams 2437 and 2421.

1. According Deputy UK High Commissioner Miles Chou En Lai schedule arrive Dar-es-Salaam June 2 and leave probably June 6. Neither he nor other contacts have picked up any information on other than ceremonial aspects his visit. (Press source says 50,000 Chinese flags being prepared).

2. British here have same report mentioned Bangui's 580 to Department including speculation UK Embassy Peking that Kampala and Bangui may be on Chou's itinerary.

3. According to Nigerians Nyerere's departure for Lagos now delayed until June 9. He expected leave there for London June 14.

4. Miles says UK considering having MacDonald suggest Kenyatta have talk with Nyerere when he passes through Nairobi en route Lagos with view to having him try to get across to Nyerere some of lessons of Kenya's recent experiences.

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FROM : Amembassy TRIPOLI

DATE: MAY 26, 1965

SUBJECT : Visit of Nationalist Chinese Muslim Delegation

REF :

A Nationalist Chinese Muslim delegation has been visiting Libya during the period May 15-22, at the invitation of the Islamic University of Libya, composed of three members of the Lower House and one member of the Upper House of the Chinese Parliament.

In Tripoli, it paid the usual protocol calls on the offices of the Royal Diwan, the Crown Prince, the Muhafidh of Tripoli and the Supreme Court. They were guests of the Chinese Ambassador at a dinner at the Chinese Embassy on May 15, and were entertained at a reception given by the Rector of the Islamic University at the Libya Palace Hotel on May 17. They also visited the Tripoli branch of the Islamic University, and the Roman ruins at Sabratha.

On May 19 the delegation went to Benghazi, where they paid a call at the office of the Royal Diwan and were received by the Crown Prince. They left the same day for Baida to visit the main center of the Islamic University.

According to press reports, one of the objects of the visit was to increase the number of Chinese Muslim students at the Islamic University. At present there are four Chinese students there, according to these reports. An increase was reportedly agreed to, but no number was set.

The Counselor of the Chinese Embassy in Tripoli told an Embassy officer that the delegation is here primarily on a good will tour, which has included Jordan, Kuwait and Lebanon following its attendance at the World Islamic Conference in Mecca. He expressed himself as being very

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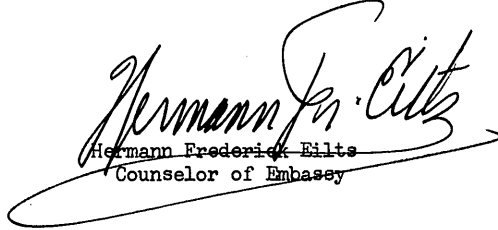
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pleased with the reception which the delegation had had in Libya.

Press and radio coverage of the visit has been limited, with only the official newspaper Tarabulus al-Gharb carrying news of it, although Radio Libya mentioned the program of the delegation in every day's news broadcasts.

FOR THE AMBASSADOR:


Hermann Frederick Eilts
Counselor of Embassy

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British Ambassador Leaver, referring to 2-hour audience of CHICOM Ambassador to CAR with President Dacko May 9, tells us NCNA reported conversations also held at approximately same time between CHICOM Ambassadors in Dar-es-Salaam and Kampala and respective Chiefs of Government. Says British Embassy Peking speculates that possibility of African tour by Chou En-lai following Algiers conference may have been raised these meetings.

Would appreciate any information addressees may provide this subject.

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CHI PENG-FEI, CHINESE COMMUNIST DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER, ARRIVED CASABLANCA FROM FRANKFURT MAY 22 FOR THREE DAY VISIT, ACCOMPANIED BY KUNG TA-FEI, ASST DIRECTOR AFRICA DIVISION FOREIGN MINISTRY. IN ARRIVAL SPEECH CHI SAID HE CARRYING LETTER FROM CHOU EN-LAI WHICH HE HOPED TO DELIVER PERSONALLY TO KING. CHI SPENT MAY 23 VISITING FEZ. IS SCHEDULED DEPART MAY 25 FOR ALGIERS. DOW
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NSA GURT OFFICIALLY CONFIRMED CHOU EN LAI VISIT. MINISTRY INFO ISSUED

DCD TERSE STATEMENT YESTERDAY SAYING "AT INVITATION PRESIDENT URT,

NEG CHOU EN LAI WILL PAY FRIENDLY VISIT TANZANIA EARLY IN JUNE."

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1. AMERICAN AID CONTRACT EMPLOYEE WORKING IN GURT MINISTRY WAS TOLD BY GURT EXPAT TECHNICIAN CHOU EN LAI ARRIVING DAR JUNE 3 FOR THREE DAY STATE VISIT. THIS WOULD CONFIRM EARLIER PRESS REPORT (EMBTel 2184).

2. KNOWLEDGE VISIT NOW BEING HELD TOP SECRET BY GURT. HOWEVER, AFRICAN PROTOCOL OFFICER LET SLIP NATURE OF VISIT TO EXPAT TECHNICIAN YESTERDAY WHO BEING CONSULTED ON TECHNICAL ASPECTS PREPARATIONS.

3. CHOU'S VISIT PRESUMABLY IN RESPONSE TO INVITATION GIVEN HIM DURING NYERERE'S CHINA TRIP LAST FEBRUARY (EMBTel 1826).

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CHOU EN-LAI LEFT FOR HOME APRIL 28 AFTER TWO DAYS IN RANGOON, DURING WHICH HIS ONLY PUBLICLY RECORDED ACTIVITIES WERE HIS ARRIVAL (MET BY NE WIN AT AIRPORT), A WREATH LAYING, AND HIS DEPARTURE (SEEN OFF BY NE WIN). DURING HIS VISIT PRESS BY CONTRAST WAS FULL OF REPORTS OF ACTIVITIES OF CROWN PRINCE OF NEPAL, INCLUDING LUNCH HOSTED BY NE WIN, DINNER HOSTED BY FON MIN U THI HAN, AND RETURN DINNER AT NEPALESE EMBASSY ATTENDED BY THI HAN.

DIPLOMATIC SOURCES WHO USUALLY HAVE SOME KNOWLEDGE OF CHOU'S ACTIVITIES IN RANGOON HAVE LITTLE NOTION WHAT HE WAS DOING THIS TRIP, THOUGH ONE CONFIRMED THI HAN'S PREDICTIONS (EMBTEL 576) THAT AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE WOULD BE MAIN TOPIC OF DISCUSSION.

HSINHUA DISPATCHES FROM PEIPING PRINTED IN LOCAL CHINESE LANGUAGE PRESS REPORT NE WIN GAVE OFFICIAL DINNER FOR CHOU APRIL 27, BUT LOCAL CHINESE SOURCE WHO WAS PRESENT THAT EVENING AT STATE GUEST HOUSE DINNER, SUPPOSEDLY FOR CHOU, REPORTS THAT NEITHER CHOU, NE WIN, NOR CHINESE AMBASSADOR ATTENDED. MORE CLOSELY CONTROLLED BURMESE AND ENGLISH PAPERS HAVE CARRIED NOTHING ABOUT THIS DINNER.

ABSENCE OF USUAL PUBLIC HOSPITALITY FOR CHOU HAS GIVEN RISE TO SPECULATION THAT WITH CURRENT VISIT, THIRD THIS MONTH, HE HAS WORN OUT HIS WELCOME. WHILE THIS SPECULATION IS UNDOUBTEDLY EXAGGERATED, WE KNOW (EMBTEL 576) NE WIN FINDS CHOU EN-LAI VISITS DIFFICULT AND OVER-FREQUENT, AND WE ARE ALSO INFORMED BY MININFO SOURCES THAT HE STILL HAS ALLEGED CHICOM ANTI-RGUB PAMPHLET (EMBTEL 490) ON HIS

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MIND. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT ELABORATE ATTENTION AND PUBLICITY GIVEN LITTLE LEAGUE NEPALESE, WHO WERE DULY INVITED GUESTS, NOT DROP-IN NEIGHBORS, MAY HAVE BEEN DESIGNED TO MAKE POINT THAT CHOU WOULD BE MORE WELCOME IF HIS VISITS WERE LESS FREQUENT AND ARRANGED IN ADVANCE.

WHETHER CHICOMS WILL GET THE POINT REMAINS TO BE SEEN, FOR THERE ARE FEW WAY STATIONS OTHER THAN BURMA ON CHINA PERIPHERY WHERE CHICOM LEADERS CAN STOP ON THEIR FREQUENT JAUNTS ABROAD, AND CHICOMS UNDOUBTEDLY BELIEVE THEY WOULD SCORE CONSIDERABLE PROPAGANDA COUP IF THEIR ARM TWISTING DURING THESE STOPOVERS COULD JUST ONCE GET BURMA TO LINE UP PUBLICLY WITH THEM ON A MAJOR INTERNATIONAL ISSUE.
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ACCORDING ANTARA NEWS AGENCY CHICOM PRIMIN CHOU
EN-LAI STATED APRIL 24 IN MEETING WITH INDO NATIONALIST
PARTY CHAIRMAN ALI SASTROAMIDJOJO THAT: "NOW THAT GOI
HAS WITHDRAWN FROM UN, PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA HAS
ALREADY CONSIDERED NOT TO ENTER UN. AND WE ARE NOW
CONSIDERING FORMATION OF NEW WORLD ORGANIZATION WHICH
IS PROGRESSIVE AND REVOLUTIONARY." CHOU PROCEEDED TO
NOTE THAT "MORE THAN FEW PEOPLES OF WORLD ARE NOT MEMBERS
OF UN." CHOU LISTED ASIAN COMMUNIST REGIMES, INDONESIA
AND EAST GERMANY, TOTALING "MORE THAN 900 MILLION PERSONS.")

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COMMENT: THERE IS ALWAYS POSSIBILITY ANTARA SLANTING
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LATTER SEEMS TO BE PRESS CONSENSUS AS WELL AS MOST
LIKELY CONNOTATION.

UAR SOURCE TOLD ENDOFF THAT CHOU STATED TO UAR
DELEGATE AT RECENT BANDUNG ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION HERE
THAT HE NOT COMPLETELY DECIDED YET ABOUT FORMATION OF
ALTERNATIVE TO UN ORGANIZATION. HOWEVER, SOME SAID IT HAD
BECOME COMMONLY ACCEPTED AMONG AA DELEGATIONS HERE FOR
CELEBRATION THAT FOREIGN EXCHANGE COST OF ELABORATE
CONEFO CONFERENCE FACILITIES WHICH SUKARNO IS BUILDING
WILL BE COMPLETELY PAID BY CHICOMS. ONE RUMOR IS THAT
COMPLEX WILL COST 16 MILLION DOLLARS PLUS LARGE RUPIAH BUDGET.

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ACCORDING UAR SOURCE, CHICOM PRIMIN CHOU EN-LAI
TOLD UAR DELEGATION TO RECENT BANDUNG CONFERENCE ANNIVERSARY
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SUBJECT: Public Statements During Chen Yi Visit

REF :

The press accounts of public statements made by President Ayub, Foreign Minister Bhutto, and CPR Foreign Minister Chen Yi during Chen Yi's recent visit to Pakistan are enclosed. Chen Yi's press conference in Peking, March 6, is also enclosed.

For the Ambassador:

Richard L. Sheider
Counselor for Political Affairs

Enclosures:

1. Statement by Foreign Minister Bhutto, March 28, 1965
2. Text of speech by Foreign Minister Chen Yi at KMC dinner March 27, 1965.
3. Chen Yi's Press Conference, Peking, March 6, 1965
4. Text of Dinner Speeches by Chen Yi and Bhutto, March 27, 1965

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The Foreign Minister, Mr. Z. A. Bhutto, declared in Karachi last evening (Mar 28) that by rushing military assistance to India, a country hostile to Pakistan, the United States of America has not merely jeopardised the concept of alliances but has shattered it.

However, he added, Pakistan attached the highest importance to her relations with the U.S., and not unmindful of the collaboration and the cooperation that existed between her and the U.S., she would like to maintain warm and cordial relations with the USA.

Addressing a press conference at his Clifton residence in Karachi, Mr. Bhutto explained at length Pakistan's developing relations with China vis-a-vis her relations with the USA. He admitted that Pakistan had moved closer to China and that there had developed a great understanding between China and Pakistan. But, he pointed out, that had not been at the cost of the USA and what was more her relations with China had developed along the lines consistent with the objective of world peace.

NO CONTRADICTION

He proclaimed that there was no contradiction in that position, and asserted that as a matter of fact, Pakistan at present exercised a deterrent influence over the tensions in Asia.

He said both China and the US wanted world peace, and that was a matter of fundamental importance. There was, therefore, he added, no inconsistency in Pakistan's position.

He said: You will note that this is one of my rare pronouncements on the subject. Since the Sino-Indian conflict we have had cause to feel aggrieved and that aspect of the problem has been articulated by me quite often in my capacity as Foreign Minister and representative of the people of Pakistan. This is my duty and the duty of the Government of Pakistan. A very serious situation has arisen and there is a sense of disillusionment in the country.

We have no prejudices against the people of India nor do we have any animosity against them. Pakistan's ties were based on the history of the last 700 years and more so of the last 200 years.

INDIAN AGGRESSION

Particularly since the independence of the country, we have been victims of aggression from India. On each and every occasion India has wronged us. Even today India holds in her hands the soul of Pakistan, the people of Jammu and Kashmir.

Pakistan without Jammu and Kashmir is like a body without a head. There is no conceivable reason or justification for India to do such a wrong to Pakistan. It is not correct to say that other countries will ensure that India

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will not commit aggression against Pakistan. We are already victims of perpetual aggression. India is in perpetual aggression against Pakistan.

Time has shown that the Sino-Indian dispute was a boundary dispute brought about by the inapt policies of India. More and more countries in the world are recognising the fact that the Sino-Indian dispute was a limited and boundary problem which has been resolved and that India continues to use it to further her own interests to seek greater economic and military assistance from Western countries.

Pakistan is not the author of the policy of alliances, formulated by the Western countries, particularly by the United States. By rushing military assistance to India, a country hostile to Pakistan, the U.S. has not merely jeopardised the whole concept of alliances but has shattered it. It is for the U.S. Government to judge what is best in its own interest -- generally termed as global interests --.

TIES WITH U.S.

Having said this much, I would like to say that we attach the highest importance to our relations with the United States. We cannot be unmindful of the generous assistance given by the United States to Pakistan in its economic development and to strengthen Pakistan's military posture.

In times of difficulty we drew strength from the fact that we have special and cordial relations with the people and the Government of the United States.

The Pakistani people are not unmindful of the collaboration and the cooperation that existed between our two countries. On our part, we would like to maintain warm and cordial relations with the U.S.A.

DAHAGRAM ISSUE

As a matter of fact, Pakistan today exercises a deterrent influence over the tensions in Asia. This is a role which the U.S. cannot call as negative in its own interests. If special and cordial relations between the US and Pakistan of ten years' standing had not caused the people of Pakistan to forsake their indigenous personality how can they feel that our relations with China can affect the indigenous personality of Pakistan?

We are an Islamic people with our own heritage, culture and history. Our State is based on Islamic foundations, he said smilingly and added: In our ten years of association with the United States instead of a penetration of Western influences in to our society we have seen the rise of a Black Muslim movement in the United States.

So, what does this show? This shows that we are not a nation to be dominated by foreign influences. So there should not be any such fear on account of friendly relations between China and Pakistan.

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This does not mean that Pakistan will come under the shadow of communism. Pakistan will not be dominated by external ideologies. It may be said that there is a contradiction in this position. I proclaim that there is no contradiction in this position.

I admit that we have moved closer to China and that there has developed a great understanding between China and Pakistan but that has not been at the cost of the United States and what is more our relations with China have developed along lines consistent with the objective of world peace. We have moved forward in our relations with China but we have not moved backwards in our relations with the United States.

The US wants world peace. The Chinese leaders have repeatedly told us they wanted world peace. The U.S. does not want to aggravate world tensions. The Chinese leaders have told us that they did not want to aggravate tensions. Both Governments want peace. Where is the contradiction in having relations with countries desiring peace? The question is of methods to bring about peace, and if Pakistan can -- I would not say act as an "honest broker" for we would not impose on ourselves a role beyond our capacity -- act as a thin thread, in the channel of communication between the two countries whenever it is brought about it would be a contribution to Afro-Asian solidarity, peace in Asia and world peace and endorse the wisdom of our good relations with both China and the United States.

REMOVAL OF STRAINS

I hope I will be able to make some contribution towards removing the strains in our relations with the United States. I spent some of the best years of my life in America and I have great affection for that country and its people. But as an Asian, having a great stake in the future of this country and having great respect and regard for other Asian countries, I support the quest and the Chinese leaders would like to see world peace based on honor and justice which is the declared objective of the Chinese leaders.

It may be asked why I am making this statement today while Marshal Chen Yi, the Chinese Foreign Minister, is here in the city. The reason is that when the President visited China we discussed the China-U.S. relations. We had discussed this problem with Mr. Chou En-lai last year. I have had discussions with Marshal Chen Yi again when the President was in China and we will discuss it again when the Chinese Premier is here on April 2.

These are matters of fundamental importance. Both China and the US want world peace and every country in the world wants peace. We should move in the direction of establishing right procedures for the attainment of world peace and resolution of international tensions.

There is, therefore, no inconsistency in our position.

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Following is the text of the speech delivered by Marshal Chen Yi, Chinese Foreign Minister, at the KMC dinner last night (March 27, 1965):

"Your Excellencies, respected Chairman, Mr. Mohammad Ziauddin Khan and Vice-Chairman, Mr. Hafiz Mohammad Habibullah of the Karachi Municipal Corporation.

"Your Excellency, respected Foreign Minister, Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Bhutto, ladies and gentlemen.

"I am very glad to visit Karachi once again, I have kept endearing memories of your beautiful City. A year ago, I accompanied Premier Chou En-lai on a visit to your City and was given an imposing and enthusiastic welcome by the citizens of Karachi. The heartening scenes prevailing at that time have remained vivid in my memory to date. I was looked after very well by the Pakistan Government and the friends in Karachi when I passed through your City on my way of, visit to, and back from friendly countries in Africa last October.

"This evening, I am very pleased to meet many of my old friends and make acquaintance with many new friends at this dinner proceeding in an amicable atmosphere. I wish to express my hearty thanks to our hosts and ask my friends present here to convey my cordial greetings to the citizens of Karachi.

PRESIDENT AYUB

"Four days ago, people of all strata in your country joyously celebrated the Pakistan Day and the inauguration of His Excellency, President Ayub Khan. We are greatly honored to visit your country and share your joy on this occasion. I extend my warm congratulations to you. Led by President Ayub Khan, Pakistan is making remarkable progress in all fields in recent years. She has played an important role in promoting Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace and her international status is increasingly on the rise. The results of the recent election have shown that President Ayub Khan has the backing and support of the Pakistan people. The whole nation of Pakistan is united under the leadership of your great President Ayub Khan.

"With this staunch internal unity, you are able to defend your national independence and defeat any aggression or provocation whatsoever. During our present visit we have seen with our own eyes that you have made considerable new progress in economic and cultural development. We are deeply impressed by the gigantic construction project underway in your capital, Islamabad, and the enormous new buildings that have sprung up in Karachi. We heartily wish the Pakistan Government and people ever more and greater successes.

ACHIEVEMENTS

"Yesterday, H.E. Foreign Minister Bhutto and I signed the Boundary Protocol and the China-Pakistan Agreement on Cultural Cooperation in your Capital. This

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is a significant result of the friendly cooperation between our two countries. It is gratifying and calls for our acclamation.

"Dear friends: the friendship and cooperation of the two Asian big nations, China and Pakistan, are a positive factor in the present international situation. The solidarity of the 750 million people of China and Pakistan constitutes an important force for the continued consolidation and development of Sino-Pakistan friendship.

"Now may I ask you all to raise your glasses and join me in a toast to the prosperity and strength of Pakistan, to the happiness of the citizens of Karachi and the entire Pakistan people, to the health of H.E. President Ayub Khan, to the health of H.E. Foreign Minister Bhutto, to the health of Their Excellencies Messrs. Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Karachi Municipal Corporation, and to the health of all our friends present here."

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CHEN YI'S PRESS CONFERENCE

PEKING, March 6: Marshal Chen Yi, the Chinese Foreign Minister said here that although the new Soviet leaders had been in office for five months, the Sino-Soviet relations blighted during Mr. Khrushchev's period had not improved.

He was, however, confident, that eventually the people of the Soviet Union and the Communist Party would correct the mistaken policies of Mr. Khrushchev and follow the correct line of Marxism-Leninism. Then there would be no need for their (Chinese) debate with Russia, he said.

Marshal Chen Yi, who gave a lucid exposition of the Sino-Soviet relations to the Pakistani correspondents at a meeting here (following is a fuller version of the Press conference, prefaced it with the remark that he was doing so because China and Pakistan spoke the common language of extermination of imperialism.

He replied to various questions on the situation in Viet-Nam, the second Afro-Asian Conference and Pakistan-China relations.

He said China could not support the action of the Soviet Government in ruthlessly charging the Asian, African and Latin American students with cavalry when they held a demonstration in front of the United States Embassy in Moscow recently to protest against American aggression in North VietNam. "We condemn this action," he said.

ASSURANCE

Stating that China was ready to assist North Viet-Nam against the United States if it was asked to do so, Marshal Chen Yi said China was not afraid to offend any aggressor. If a friend of China in Asia asked for such a help it would come forward to do so. "If our friends are wiped out how will we exist," he said, adding: "You should rest assured on that."

He also said that the great reception given to President Ayub on his arrival here was in appreciation of Pakistan's stand during the Sino-Indian conflict. The show of affection was not mere diplomatic ephistry. It was heartfelt appreciation of the fact that Pakistan declared at the time that China was not an aggressor.

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Marshal Chen Yi also said that both Pakistan and China wanted the second Afro-Asian Conference to be a successful conference with a tone higher than of the second Non-Aligned Nations Conference held recently in Cairo.

He, however, added that it would not be advisable for the participating countries to raise the disputes amongst them at the conference, because it would distract from the solidarity of the conference against imperialism and colonialism.

Nevertheless, he made it clear that China stood on the side of Pakistan on the question of Kashmir. Their stand that the solution of the Kashmir problem should be according to the pledges given to its people by India and Pakistan would not change whether or not Pakistan raised the issue at the second Bandung Conference.

STRUGGLE

Marshal Chen Yi said Sino-Pakistan friendship was based on their common desire to struggle against imperialism and colonialism and for the economic reconstruction of their people. Both, he said, were agreed that Sino-Pakistan cooperation was essential to achieve these objectives. The friendship between the two countries was eternal and not a matter of expediency. He referred to last year's visit of Premier Chou En-lai and himself to Pakistan and President Ayub's current visit and said such contacts were very essential in cementing the relations between the two neighbouring countries.

The great welcome accorded to President Ayub on his arrival was a manifestation of that friendship, he said.

China and Pakistan had no basic conflict of interest and prospects of future relationship between them were very encouraging, he said.

Friendship of people of Pakistan and China, who constitute about eight hundred million in population, was highly beneficial and significant for the world peace, he said.

Talking of the forthcoming Second Asian-African Conference in Algiers, he said both President Ayub and Chairman Liu were agreed that the conference must be a success and should have a higher tone than the second Non-Aligned Nations Conference held in Cairo in October last.

SECOND BANDUNG

To a question that feeling in certain quarters was that after the second Non-Aligned Nations Conference there was no need for the second Bandung summit, Marshal Chen Yi said international developments had taken place since October which required attention of the Afro-Asian people. The Viet-Nam problem had specially become more acute.

He said the second Non-Aligned Nations Conference was attended only by

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about forty and odd countries, but in the Afro-Asian Conference about seventy nations were expected to participate. Those who pleaded that Asian-African Conference was not necessary after the Non-Aligned Nations Conference, followed a strange logic. All the Afro-Asian countries had suffered at the hands of imperialism and colonialism and most of them had acquired freedom after the Second World War. They were surely determined to fight against imperialism and colonialism and their conference would help in evolving a line to exterminate the twin evil from world politics. The conference was definitely interested in resolving the question of South Africa, Viet-Nam, non-unification of Korea and Malaysia which still remained unsolved.

It was agreed that the Non-Aligned Nations Conference achieved good results, but that did not in any way prove that there should be no second Afro-Asian Conference.

SOLIDARITY

The Afro-Asian Conference, he said would bring about greater solidarity between Asian-African people and would give a significant experience to all participants on how to build themselves up.

The position of those who pleaded for the indefinite postponement of the second Bandung Conference, Marshal Chen Yi declared, was very vulnerable. China, he said, was not jealous of the Non-Aligned Nations Conference.

Asked to differentiate between the objectives of the Non-Aligned Nations Conference and the Second Afro-Asian Conference, Marshal Chen Yi said the agenda of the latter already decided upon in the 22-nation preparatory meeting in Jakarta included an item to summarise the participants experience of imperialism and neo-colonialism since the Bandung Conference in 1954. Racial discrimination and the struggle of the countries still under colonial powers was another question to be considered and also the question of evolving a system of the settlement of disputes among the Afro-Asian nations.

Another matter on the agenda was to make common efforts to help each other in their economic build up.

REPLACEMENT

Those who asked for the replacement of the second Afro-Asian Conference by the Non-Aligned Nations meeting he said, wanted to ostracise countries like China, Pakistan, Viet Nam and Korea. The Afro-Asian nations would not agree to that.

Some of the nations, who participated in the Non-Aligned Nations Conference were very much aligned. China, he said, looked upon the Cairo conference very fairly, but for the interest of peace we must oppose imperialism and colonialism. It was most unfair if they wanted to replace Afro-Asian Conference by the Non-Aligned Nations Conference. Those who wanted to exclude China, Pakistan and other countries from the international forums were at one with imperialists and colonialists, he said.

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The Asian-African countries, he said, were determined to see that their Algiers conference finally fixed for June 29 was made a success and was not postponed again in any case.

The Chinese Foreign Minister was asked if he had any mechanism in mind to resolve disputes among the Afro-Asian countries. Marshal Chen Yi said: one could not shut one's eyes to the fact that disputes existed between China and India, India and Pakistan on Kashmir, between Indonesia and Malaya on the so-called question of Malaysia and between some of the African countries. Most of these disputes were left over by the colonialists. They left and created these sources of trouble to continue their control and use them as a means to return to these areas. In his view where there were such disputes the two parties must try to solve them through consultations in a spirit of accommodation and must not allow the imperialists to meddle in them.

MAJORITY DECISION

The view that a conference where a decision could not be taken through a majority decision, could not exert any influence on international affairs, Marshal Chen Yi said, was incorrect. The first Afro-Asian Conference had proved that the Bandung spirit was full of vitality and many Afro-Asian countries had won independence since 1954 which had dealt a serious blow on the colonialists and imperialists. The second conference to be attended by about 70 countries as against the first attended by only about 29, would be more beneficial for the Asian-African co-operation and the world peace. This forum where matters were to be decided by mutual consultation was bound to give better results than the United Nations.

The Chinese Foreign Minister said his Government was of the view that no country should try to impose its will on the other, however small it may be. Time, he said, would help resolve difficulties. He quoted a Chinese saying: "Suppose you have to wait for ten thousand years, it does not matter," and said in fact it was necessary to wait all the ten thousand years but probably a hundred years would be enough to resolve all the conflicts and problems of the world.

To a question, he replied there had not been any real improvement in the Sino-Soviet relations since the ouster of Mr. Khrushchev from the leadership of Russia.

The main dispute between Russia and China, he said was on the basic principles of Marxism-Leninism and on how to thoroughly eradicate imperialism and colonialism from the world and how to end capitalism and bring about a Socialist society.

UNITY

There was also the question as to how the Socialist countries should help the Asian African countries in their struggle against the imperialists and how to bring about complete unity in the Communist movement.

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The Soviet Communist Party under Mr. Khrushchev, he said, adopted a wrong attitude towards the Communist Party of China in respect of Marxims-Leninism. Mr. Khrushchev wanted to resolve all the problems directly with the United States of America and wanted to control all Communist countries including China. He wanted that control through economic assistance. He betrayed Marxism and Leninism and violated the principle of co-operation on the basis of equality of nations.

Mr. Khrushchev claimed that Stalin was a brute and murderer and completely negated the merits of Stalin, who followed Marxism-Leninism after Lenin and built up a Socialist state in Russia. He wanted the Communist Party of China to follow his dictates but the CPC could not give up Marxism-Leninism.

NIKITA'S FALL

However when his mistaken policies reached a height, they brought about his fall. It had become possible for the leaders who followed, at Mr. Khrushchev's fall to correct the situation created by him and to bring about a unity in the Socialist camp. But although the new leaders had been there for about five months, now, 'we regret that they have not changed their policies,' and continue the policies of Mr. Khrushchev. China, he said, waited for Mr. Khrushchev to correct his policies and could well afford to continue waiting until they returned to the path of Marxism-Leninism. China would not, however, give up its right to criticise the wrongs of the Soviet leaders. He said he could not say that the Soviet Union was not a big and powerful country. It was a great country. It was the home of great Lenin and the Soviet people were great and they opened a great era in History through the October Revolution for which the whole world should be grateful to them.

GOOD EXPERIENCE

The Lenin and Stalin era left a good experience. "We admit these facts" he said and they would not change because of what Mr. Khrushchev had done. We expect to have good relations with the Soviet Union and people, but if the present leadership's policy of supporting the anti-colonial and anti-colonialism struggle and in fact of collaborating with them would bring split in the Socialist camp. In that case the Soviet people would be disappointed. The crux of problem is that if the Soviet leaders were able to correct their line and follow Marxism-Leninism, it would be a great thing for the Socialist States and the struggle against colonialism and capitalism. In that case we would support them and co-operate with them and then there would be no need to continue our debate. Otherwise, we each can go our own way.

Under the Soviet Union's present policy it was not possible for China to follow them no matter how many difficulties we have.

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IMPERIALISM A FORCE

Marshal Chen Yi said imperialism was a force to reckon with. The US imperialism still existed with a global policy of controlling the whole world. They want to wipe out the Socialist camp. They had adopted a policy of new colonialism in the Asian, African and Latin American countries and this policy of theirs would not change. On the other hand there was an upsurge against colonialism and imperialism in the world. The situation therefore, was a test of all countries and people and political laws. It was a test of the Soviet Union and China. A test of what is true and what is false. The South Viet-Nam war was also a good test. The United States would not give up its policy of aggression in South Viet-Nam. They had again bombed North Viet-Nam on March 4. Now it would be a test to see who supports the people of South Viet-Nam and who is only pretending to support them.

The support of Asian-African and Latin countries in their struggle for freedom could not be confined to mere words.

MOSCOW INCIDENT

Marshal Chen Yi then referred to the "People's Daily's" report and its picture of the incident in Moscow where cavalry and regular force was brought out to curb the demonstration held by Asian-African and Latin American students against the American Embassy in protest against the American bombing of North Viet-Nam. The "People's Daily" captioned the news item: "What people are doing, what, which city and in which year!" "This occurred in the revolutionary capital of Moscow in 1965. The demonstration was suppressed in a very brutal way."

"I feel very sad about it and I feel great shame," he said. Such a thing happened in the land of Lenin where Tzar had mounted military action against the people of Russia, and Lenin and Stalin overthrew the Tzars. It was demonstration against the aggression of the United States. Why should the Soviet Union so link themselves up with the US aggression in South Viet-Nam, he added.

He said China has not despaired in the people and the party of the Soviet Union. They will surely change the mistaken policy of the Soviet Government. Any leader who is against the people will not continue. Our relations are bound to improve one day, but we cannot support the action of the Soviet Union in charging the Asian-African and Latin American students' demonstration against the United States Embassy by cavalry.

DISPUTES

Reverting to the Algiers conference, in reply to question Marshal Chen Yi asserted that dispute amongst the Asian-African nations should not be brought to that forum. For example, there was a boundary dispute between Algeria and Morocco and between Kenya and Ethiopia. The conference would

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not be in a position to direct any party because that would not be acceptable. The only hope for the solution of their dispute was through consultation in the spirit of accommodation.

As for the Sino-Indian dispute, the six-nation Colombo Conference passed a resolution on that issue but India used that conference to attack China. You can see that (resolution) is not a suitable suggestion.

Talking of the Kashmir dispute between India and Pakistan, he said the Chinese position on the issue was very clear, and it was that it should be decided in accordance with what India and Pakistan had guaranteed to the people of Kashmir. This position, he said would not be changed by China whether Pakistan raised this issue at the Afro-Asian Conference or not. Nor would China influence Pakistan not to raise it. But Pakistan should see whether the raising of this issue would not detract from the Asian-African solidarity in their struggle against imperialism and colonialism.

JUSTICE

Pakistan in the eyes of China stands on the side of justice.

Asked as to what steps he would suggest for the cessation of hostilities in South Viet-Nam, Marshal Chen Yi said "we must respect the pacts. In 1954 an agreement was reached in Geneva on the question of Viet-Nam, the Socialist Democratic Republic of North Viet-Nam was recognized and South Viet-Nam was to be left alone as an area of peace and neutrality. The question of reunification of the country was to be decided through a plebiscite, China signed the agreement, the United States did not, but they agreed not to hinder the operation of the agreement. But they went back on the agreement and tore it up. Through the Diem regime they initiated hostilities in South Viet-Nam and they had been growing in scale for the last 10 years."

SUPPRESSION

The United States was suppressing the guerilla fighters in South Viet-Nam and had for the purpose 20,000 troops not including the Air Force and the Navy. They had thus sabotaged the Geneva agreement.

China, he said, sympathised with the guerillas of South Viet-Nam who were fighting to free their country and hoped they would be able to achieve their objective. The United States had in fact taken steps to expand the war to North Viet-Nam. But they must realise that the greater the aggression the greater the reaction. They would not attain their objective by bombing North Viet-Nam. He quoted a Japanese correspondent who said that by military aggression against North Viet-Nam the United States had brought the Afro-Asian countries closer against imperialism. "Could America prevent this solidarity by bombing?", he asked.

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The United States President and the Pentagon had decided, he said, that they would continue aggression until the South Viet-Namense were suppressed. Although they claimed that they did not want to expand the war to North Viet-Nam, they were really doing so. Now they were planning to bring 60,000 troops to South Viet-Nam for the purpose.

HELP TO N. VIET-NAM

China, Marshal Chen Yi said, was prepared to help North Viet-Nam if they asked for assistance. We would not stand by and watch while any Socialist country was trampled by an imperialist nation. He said according to some foreigners there appeared no tension in Peking. Tension, he said, was the sign of indecision. It was not there, because China had made up its mind clearly. When a person has made a decision to make sacrifice he is calm. The solution of Viet-Nam, he said was only through the unification of their motherland.

Marshal Chen Yi said his own view, as he had already told to an Italian journalist, was that peace would return to the area only if the United States withdrew troops from this region.

The United States, he said thought that she would lose in prestige if they withdrew from the area. To his mind it would add to their prestige because by doing so they would win the sentiments of the whole world. He said although the United States might like to come to a conference table to discuss the Viet-Nam situation, but they would do so only to gain time and would tear up the agreement as they tore up the 1954 agreement.

NO ACCORD

Asked if China had any agreement with North Viet-Nam by which they would be automatically involved if North Viet-Nam was attacked, Marshal Chen Yi replied in the negative. However, if North Viet-Nam asked for the help, they would give it to them willingly, he repeated.

To a question whether China would assist any Asian country against aggression if asked to do so, the Foreign Minister said China would fight against aggressors. "We are not afraid of offending an aggressor. If our friends are wiped out how can we exist," he said, adding "you should be sure of that." Pakistan and China, he said, had common interest in the security of this region.

Marshal Chen Yi said the big reception given to the President Ayub on the day of his arrival was the manifestation of a feeling of greatfulness of the people to Pakistan for having declared that China was not an aggressor. This demonstration was not diplomatic sophistry, but real appreciation of Pakistan's stand at the time of Sino-Pakistan conflict over the boundary. "We will not let you down," he concluded.

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TEXT OF DINNER SPEECHES BY CHEN YI AND BHUTTO

RAWALPINDI, March 26: The following is the text of the Chinese vice-Premier, Marshal Chen Yi's speech at a dinner given by Mr. Bhutto last night:

Your Excellency, respected Foreign Minister Zulfiqar Ali Bhutto, ladies and gentlemen.

First of all, I wish to express my thanks to the Pakistan Government for its kind invitation to us, the citizens of Rawalpindi for their enthusiastic welcome and to Foreign Minister Bhutto for the warm and friendly words he has just addressed to the Chinese people and myself.

March, 1965, can be called a month of China-Pakistan friendship. I am greatly honoured and pleased to visit your beautiful country once again immediately following the visit to China made by His Excellency President Ayub Khan and the other distinguished guests.

We are greatly honoured to be received and given a most cordial lunch by the President immediately upon our arrival. We have come on the occasion of the President's inauguration and on the success of your National Assembly elections which is beneficial to world peace. The Chinese people rejoice at this success. Here we extend our sincere congratulations.

IMPORTANT MISSION

I have been entrusted with an important mission on my present visit to Pakistan, i. e. to sign the boundary protocol between our two countries. More than two years ago, His Excellency Foreign Minister Bhutto came to China and signed the boundary agreement. Within a short period of time, a whole series of complicated and detailed work of boundary demarcation, involving survey, erection of markers and mapping, etc. have been successfully accomplished.

The landscape of the Karakoram mountains remains unchanged, but they have become closer to the hearts of our two peoples. The signing of the boundary protocol is the result of the close co-operation of our two Governments.

Here, we wish to express our thanks to the delegates on the China, Pakistan Joint Boundary Demarcation Commission for their hard work. We must also thank those hundreds of working personnel who took part in boundary survey, mapping, security work and logistic support. They have marvellously accomplished the task entrusted to them by the two Governments by overcoming all sorts of hardships under extremely difficult geographical and climatic conditions.

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AUSPICIOUS EVENT

The smooth completion of boundary demarcation by China and Pakistan is an auspicious event to the peoples of our two countries. Both China and Pakistan are big nations of Asia and the world.

The co-operation between the two big nations, China and Pakistan, shows that it is entirely possible to settle the boundary questions between Asia and African countries, so long as we base ourselves on the principles of treating each other as equals and entering into friendly consultations, and refrain from adopting a big nation chauvinist attitude or imposing one's will on others.

As is well known, the boundary questions between China and its neighbours, such as Burma, Mongolia, Afghanistan, were all satisfactory settled in this spirit. What we have done not only conforms to the interests of the people of the countries concerned, but also contributes to the strengthening of Asian African solidarity and the defence of world peace.

JOINT EFFORTS

Friends, as a result of the joint efforts of our two Governments and peoples, the friendly relations between China and Pakistan have entered upon a new stage. There is now a boundary of peace between us on the ground and a traffic line of friendship in the air.

We have signed an agreement on economic and technical cooperation and are going to sign an agreement on cultural cooperation.

In particular, His Excellency President Ayub Khan's latest friendly visit to China has greatly enhanced our mutual understanding and trust. The China-Pakistan joint communique gives expression to the common desire of our two countries for strengthening our friendly cooperation and safeguarding world peace. This is a significant matter affecting world situation, which is most gratifying.

FRIENDLY TIES

It is by no means accidental that the friendly relations between China and Pakistan have developed so favourably. As President Ayub Khan said, apart from the ties of neighbourhood and history, we are united by a common determination to eradicate the last vestiges of imperialism and colonialism from the continents of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

This friendship has a solid foundation and broad prospects for development. The Chinese people will forever join efforts with the fraternal Pakistan people for the strengthening of Sino-Pakistan friendly cooperation, the eradication of imperialism and colonialism and the defence of world peace.

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Now I propose a toast to the prosperity and strength of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, to China-Pakistan friendship, Asian-African solidarity and world peace, to the health of His Excellency President Ayub Khan, to health of the Foreign Minister and Begum Bhutto, and to the health of all our friends present here. — APP.

BHUTTO

RAWALPINDI, March 26: The following is the text of Mr. Bhutto's speech, at the dinner he gave in honour of the Chinese Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister, Marshal Chen Yi.

Your Excellency, ladies and gentlemen.

It is a great pleasure for me to welcome His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi, Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister of the People's Republic of China.

I am particularly happy to have Marshal Chen Yi back in our midst while the memory of the President's historic visit to China is still fresh in our minds. It was my privilege on that occasion to witness the unprecedented welcome that was extended to the President and his party by the people and the Government of China. Everywhere we went we were literally overwhelmed with friendship and hospitality.

My first visit to China two years ago was to sign the boundary agreement between Pakistan and China. Tomorrow His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi will sign the boundary protocol which will mark the completion of the work of boundary demarcation. Considering the fact that this boundary lies along some of the highest mountains in the world, the completion of this work within two years is a remarkable achievement, brought about by the joint efforts of the two countries.

The delegations of our two countries to the Pakistan-China Joint Boundary Demarcation Commission as well as others who have assisted the Commission deserve our congratulations and thanks.

GOOD UNDERSTANDING

The signing of the boundary agreement and the completion of demarcation work do not only reflect the good understanding and friendly cooperation which has been established between Pakistan and China but also demonstrate that this and other international questions can be settled amicably through negotiations.

Our two countries have given proof of their desire to live in peace and friendship with their neighbours by settling their boundary problems with a number of countries. We believe that all countries, and Asian African countries, in particular, can and should settle their disputes and differences through negotiations, without the use of

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threat of force.

Our distinguished guest will also sign a cultural agreement between Pakistan and China. This is yet another indication of growing cooperation between us which not only serves the interests of our two countries but also contributes to peace in our region as a whole.

FRIENDSHIP

As was stressed by our President and Chairman Liu Shao-chi during the President's recent visit to China, relations between Pakistan and China are not a matter of expediency. They are based on the immutable facts of geography and the traditions of friendly contacts that go back over two thousand years.

Our friendship is also in accord with our belief in Asian-African solidarity, and our dedication to world peace. I have no doubt that the protocol that will be signed tomorrow will further strengthen our friendship and promote constructive cooperation between us.

Mr. Vice-Premier, you are from a friendly country, you have come from a friendly country to a friendly country and you are going to a friendly country. Such is the spirit of Pakistan-China friendship.

I would now like to propose a toast to the progress and prosperity of the people of China; to ever-lasting friendship between Pakistan and China; to solidarity among the people of Asia and Africa and to world peace; to the health of Chairman Mao Tse-tung, Chairman Liu Shao-chi and Premier Chou En-lai, to the health of His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi and to the health of all those present here. —APP.

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SETTING FORTH HIGHLIGHTS OF RECENT CONVERSATION WITH HIS
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ALGERIAN UN DELEGATE HAD EXPRESSED TO U THANT HIS CONCERN OVER
DEVELOPMENTS IN VIETNAM. U THANT MADE SOME PROPOSALS FOR A
SOLUTION WHICH ALGERIAN GOVERNMENT PASSED ON TO COMMUNIST CHINA.
CHINESE REPLIED THAT THEY WOULD DISCUSS U THANT SUGGESTION DURING
CHOU EN-LAI VISIT TO ALGERIA. WHILE IN ALGIERS CHOU MADE NO DIRECT
REPLY TO U THANT BUT ONLY EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR HIS EFFORTS.

CHOU THEN OUTLINED TO BEN BELLA HIS FORECAST OF EVENTS IN VIETNAM.
CHOU THOUGHT WAR WOULD DEVELOP IN TWO STAGES. FIRST WOULD BE BOMBING
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HAD MADE "CAREFUL PREPARATIONS" AND WOULD BE ABLE TO DEAL WITH US.
US, CHOU DECLARED, WOULD ULTIMATELY BE DECISIVELY DEFEATED IN COM-
BAT.

BEN BELLA EXPRESSED DISMAY THAT VIETNAM PROBLEM WOULD HAVE TO BE
SOLVED BY WAR AND ASKED IF ANOTHER SOLUTION WAS NOT POSSIBLE.
CHOU SAID THAT ANOTHER SOLUTION WOULD BE DESIRABLE AND CHINESE WERE
NOT OPPOSED TO SUCH A DIFFERENT SOLUTION. HE SAID, HOWEVER, IT WAS
FIRST ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY THAT US DEAL WITH NLF, WHICH HE DESCRIBED
AS INDEPENDENT FORCE NOT CONTROLLED BY PEIPING AND HANOI. ANY-
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SHOJIRO KAWASHIMA IN DJAKARTA.

MEETING ARRANGED BY SUKARNO. CHOU ACCOMPANIED BY CH'IAO
KUAN-HUA, KAWASHIMA ACCOMPANIED BY FORMER AMBASSADOR TO
LONDON KATSUMI OHNO AND AMBASSADOR TO INDONESIA SHIZUO
SAITO, SUBANDRIO ALSO PRESENT.

HARA SAID MOST OF MEETING WAS TAKEN UP WITH GENERALITIES AND
THERE WAS LITTLE SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSION. KAWASHIMA EXPRESSED
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HOPE THAT DIFFERENCES OF SOCIAL SYSTEMS WOULD NOT HINDER
PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE OF JAPAN AND COMMUNIST CHINA. HE SAID THAT
THOUGH THERE WERE MANY PROBLEMS BETWEEN GOJ AND CPR HE
HOPED THESE COULD BE SOLVED PEACEFULLY ONE BY ONE. HE SAID
BOTH SIDES SHOULD REFRAIN FROM INTERFERING IN DOMESTIC
AFFAIRS OF THE OTHER AND SHOULD NOT FALSELY BLAME THE OTHER
FOR ITS CONDUCT. HE EXPRESSED GOJ'S HOPE FOR EXPANDED
TRADE RELATIONS WITH MAINLAND.

CHOU SAID THAT FOLLOWING TAKASAKI'S EFFORTS IN LAST FEW
YEARS TO PROMOTE TRADE, RELATIONS BETWEEN GOJ AND CPR HAD
IMPROVED, BUT SITUATION HAD CHANGED AFTER SATO CABINET
FORMED. HE STATED CHICOM POSITION ON USE EXIM BANK. HE
DESCRIBED PRESENT POSTURE OF CPR TOWARD JAPAN AS ONE OF
"WAIT AND SEE". HE SAID TAIWAN IS ONE OF PROVINCES OF CHINA

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MANACH (ASIA FONOFF) TELLS US FRENCH INFO TENDS CONFIRM THAT DEN BELLA EXPRESSED ASTONISHMENT TO CHOU EN-LAI AT ATTITUDE OF PEKING IN ADMITTEDLY BLOCKING TRANSIT OF ARMS TO HANOI THROUGH CHINA. CHAI THINKS THIS REACTION HAS PROBABLY INFLUENCED CHOU TO EASE UP. SINCE CHICOM GETTING INTO IMPOSSIBLE POSITION WITH VARIOUS SOCIALIST BROTHERS, TO WHOM SOVIETS HAD NO DOUBT COMPLAINED.

MANACH ALSO MENTIONED CONVERSATION IN PRAGUE WITH CHINESE CFN 5914 264 634 353 129 20 2316 2417 5024

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AMEMBASSY WHO SAID PEKING HAD REFUSED PASSAGE OF SOVIET PLANES AND PERSONNEL WITH MILITARY EQUIPMENT THROUGH CHINA BUT HAD CONSENTED TO LESS CONSPICUOUS SHIPMENT OF UNSPECIFIED EQUIPMENT BY RAIL. CHICOM ALSO SAID THERE NO DOUBT THAT US PLANES HAD VIOLATED HAINAN AIRSPACE AND RECOUNTED NOW FAMILIAR STORY RE ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING DOWN OF OWN PLANES. AND ALSO CLAIMED THAT "ALTHOUGH AMERICANS MAY NOT KNOW IT," ONE OF THEIR PLANES HAD FALLEN IN HAINAN. GP-3 BOHLEN

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Radio Peking Broadcast 6 April as monitored FBIS says: QUOTE
Premier Chou En-lai today received message from Hoveyda, PriMin Iran,
who thanked him for message greetings sent when he was flying over Iran
on way Rumania. Iranian PriMin sent Chinese Premier his best wishes. UNQUOTE
truth this report.
Would appreciate confirmation or denial / ~~transmission~~. Overflight
took place about 30 March.

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According April 12 Reuters and AFP accounts from Paris and Algiers respectively, Tunisian daily "Jeune Afrique" has carried exclusive article on alleged discussions between Chicom Premier Chou En-lai and President Ben Bella. Article reportedly says Chou told Ben Bella that Chicoms convinced U.S. will bomb CPR, and that they have taken all measures to defend selves.

April 14 Delhi domestic service broadcast says that Chou told Ben Bella that CPR objects to passage of Soviet missiles to North Viet-Nam since this would eventually lead to entry Soviet troops, which "we cannot allow." Delhi account also cites Chou to effect that 17 nonaligned nation appeal is trick, and that U Thant cannot play positive role in Viet-Nam question.

Have any additional reports of alleged Chou comments come to light?
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UHURU, Swahili language daily reporting April 1 speech by Kambona in Tanga, quoted him as saying GURT has invited Chou en-Lai to visit URT in June or July this year. No indication Chou had accepted.

Presumably, Kambona referred to invitation extended by Nyerere during February visit Peking. However, this first occasion to our knowledge press has mentioned any particular time. Joint Sino-Tanzanian communique issued following Nyerere departure China said invitation extended to Chou and Liu Shao Chi visit URT "at their convenience" (EMBTel 1826). Not sure significance this report, which not repeated in English language press, but note that statement was attributed to Kambona.

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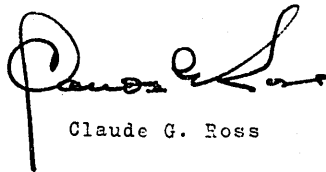
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SUBJECT : President Dacko Toasts Chinese Communists								
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<p>The Embassy transmits as an enclosure to the present airgram its informal translation of a toast offered by President David DACKO to the visiting Chinese Communist parliamentary delegation led by Liu Ning-Yi which visited the CAR during the period March 28-April 1. Although we have no confirmation of the fact, the language and constructions in the French suggest that the President's remarks were extemporaneous.</p> <p>Despite the biting character of several of the references in the President's remarks to the French presence in the country, and despite an initial anguished flurry of concern, the considered reaction -- official and commercial -- to the toast in the French community has been almost placid. It is widely considered that the President was, in all politeness, obligated to make a minimum gesture in the direction of the Chinese Communist delegation and that the economic vocation of the CAR is indeed, ultimately socialist in view of the paucity of its resources and its inability to attract foreign venture capital in substantial quantities. In brief, it appears that the French community is becoming wiser in the language -- if not more reconciled to the politics -- of "non-alignment."</p> <p>In addition, the French note the President's careful reference to the principle of non-interference in the CAR's domestic affairs and his refusal to treat with the touring</p>								
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North Vietnamese delegation which arrived on the heels of its Chinese Communist counterpart as evidence of the President's continued determination to strike some form of balance between the East and the West.



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SWEDISH, DANISH AND FINNISH AMBASSADORS MET WITH FONMIN BOUTEFLIKA SEVERAL DAYS AGO. SWEDISH AMBASSADOR TOLD ME THAT AFTER DISCUSSION OF ALGERIAN DECREE ON DIPLOMATS (DURING WHICH BOUTEFLIKA REMAINED QUITE UNMOVED), MEETING WENT ON TO MORE GENERAL CONVERSATION WITH FOREIGN MINISTER PROVIDING SOME DETAILS RECENT VISIT CHOU-EN-LAI TO ALGIERS. HE SAID VISIT ARRANGED AT VERY SHORT NOTICE AND AGENDA CONSISTED OF FOUR ITEMS: (1) VIETNAM, (2) AFRO-ASIATIC CONGRESS (BANDUNG II), (3) CONGO, AND (4) BILATERAL MATTERS.

PRACTICALLY NO DISCUSSION NOS (3) AND (4) BECAUSE ALGERIANS AND CHICOMS GOT DOGGED DOWN ON VIETNAM AND AA CONFERENCE. CHICOMS PUSHED STRONGLY FOR ALGERIAN ACCEPTANCE OF THEIR DEMAND FOR WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN FORCES AND EQUIPMENT FROM SOUTH VIETNAM BEFORE NEGOTIATIONS COULD BEGIN, AND THAT FNL MUST BE PRINCIPAL NEGOTIATOR. ALGERIANS MAINTAINED THIS UNREALISTIC AS AMERICANS WOULD NOT AGREE AND THAT SENSIBLE POSITION IS NEGOTIATIONS WITHOUT PRIOR CONDITIONS. TWO PARTIES UNABLE REACH UNDERSTANDING THESE POINTS, ACCORDING TO FOREIGN MINISTER.

ON AA CONFERENCE, ALGERIANS ENCOUNTERED UNCHANGEABLE CHINESE POSITION WITH REGARD TO RUSSIANS. IT ALSO CLEAR CHINESE WISHED TO MANEUVER MATTER IN WAY WHICH WOULD EVOKE FAVORABLE RESOLUTION PERTAINING TO NEEDED ADJUSTMENT OF FRONTIERS IN ASIA. ALGERIANS COULD SEE NO PROFIT IN MOVING IN THAT DIRECTION OR EVEN IN DISCUSSION IT WITH CHICOMS AT THIS POINT.

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AGR	COM	FRS	COMMUNIST CHINA'S VICE PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER MARSHAL CHEN		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
INT	LAS	TAR	Yi paid an official visit to Kathmandu from March 30 through April 3 at		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
TR	XMB	AIR	the invitation of his Nepalese counterpart, Kirti Nidhi BISTA. He was		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
ARMY	CIA	NAVY	accompanied by HAN Nien-lung, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs, and		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
OSD	USIA	NSA	CHANG Tung, Director of the First Asian Department of the Foreign Ministry.		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			Speaking about Communist China's aid to Nepal, Chen Yi, in a dinner		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			speech March 30, said: "We only feel that we have not done enough on our		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			part. If economic conditions in China turn out for the better, we wish		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			to do more in economic cooperation between our two countries." Pointing		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			out, rather shrewdly, that in Chinese view, aid is "always something		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			mutual," he said: "China helps Nepal and Nepal in turn helps China. In		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			international affairs, Nepal upholds justice, firmly stands for the		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			restoration of China's legitimate rights in the United Nations and		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			opposes the scheme of 'Two Chinas.' Nepal firmly maintains her friendship		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			towards China; she informs the world of the truth about China and opposes		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			distortions and slanders against China. This constitutes a great help		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			and support to us."		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			A joint communique issued April 3 spoke of Chen Yi's "interest in		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			the various reform projects of HMG," the utilization of the "current		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			unallocated balance of the Chinese assistance to development of transport		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			in Nepal," and indicated that China may give increased economical and		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			technical aid for Nepal's second Five-Year Plan. Projects were not		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			specified, however.		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			References were also made in the communique to Vietnam and coming		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			Afro-Asian meetings, generally in keeping with Nepal's non-aligned		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
			position.		4/20		pol 7 Chicom-NEPH	
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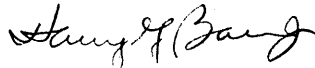
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The Communique added that Mr. Bista has accepted an invitation to visit Communist China at a time suitable to him.

The text of the communique is enclosed.

COMMENT: We do not recall seeing such an explicit reference to the CPR's economic difficulties as that made in Chen Yi's March 30 speech.

For the Ambassador:



Harry G. Barnes, Jr.
Counselor of Embassy

Encl: Nepal-China Press Communique,
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NEPAL-CHINA PRESS COMMUNIQUE

APRIL 3, 1965

At the invitation of Right Honourable Mr. Kirti Nidhi Bista, Vice-Chairman of the Council of Ministers and Minister of Foreign Affairs of Nepal, His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi, Vice-Premier of the State Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China, paid a friendly visit to Nepal from March 30 to April 3, 1965. Accompanying Marshal Chen Yi were Mr. Han Nien-lung, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Chang Tung, Director of the First Asian Department of the Foreign Ministry, and other officials.

2. During his stay, the Chinese Vice-Premier visited places of historical interest in the Kathmandu Valley as well as projects of economic cooperation between China and Nepal and the Kathmandu-Kodari Highway.

3. His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi and members of his party were received in audience by Their Majesties The King and The Queen. Marshal Chen Yi had cordial and friendly talks with His Majesty.

4. His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi had talks with the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Council of Ministers on the further development of the friendly relations between the two countries and on questions of mutual interest. The talks were held in an atmosphere of friendship and cordiality. Both parties reaffirmed their faith in the five principles of peaceful co-existence which govern the relations happily existing between the two countries, expressed satisfaction that the friendly relations between the two countries had continuously developed and strengthened since the establishment of their diplomatic relations.

5. Both parties expressed satisfaction at the smooth progress of the projects of economic cooperation between the two countries. His Majesty's Government of Nepal expressed gratitude to the Government of the People's Republic of China for its economic aid. The two parties also studied the question of further strengthening the economic cooperation between the two countries. Both parties agreed that the current unallocated balance of the Chinese assistance will be utilized to development of transport in Nepal. Marshal Chen Yi indicated that the Chinese Government would provide additional economic and technical assistance to the best of its ability for Nepal's second five year plan. Both parties have agreed that Chinese expert teams, to arrive in Kathmandu in the near future, would study and survey the possibilities of such assistance. Marshal Chen Yi showed interest in the various reform projects of His Majesty's Government, and expressed the hope that these reforms would help promote the economic development of Nepal and raise the living standards of the Nepalese people.

6. The two parties exchanged views on the current international situation. They showed the gravest concern over the recent happenings in Vietnam.

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They reaffirmed their respect for the unity, integrity and sovereignty of Vietnam, and the inviolable right of the Vietnamese people to settle their own problem and chart their own future in accordance with their own will and aspirations and without foreign interference. The two parties also discussed the progress made towards the preparations of the second Afro-Asian Conference, and expressed belief that the ensuing tenth anniversary of the Bandung Conference in Djakarta and the Second Afro-Asian Conference in Algiers will make an enormous contribution to the final elimination of colonialism and imperialism, to the consolidation of Asian-African solidarity and unity, as well as to the preservation of world peace and security.

7. Marshal Chen Yi was very grateful to His Majesty's Government of Nepal and the Nepalese people for their warm reception. Marshal Chen Yi renewed the Chinese Government's invitation to the Vice-Chairman of the Council of Ministers and Minister of Foreign Affairs of Nepal to pay a visit to the People's Republic of China at a time suitable to him. The Vice-Chairman accepted the invitation with pleasure.

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Embassy Bamako has no hard information to support Accra's report that CHICOM Parliamentary Delegation currently touring Africa is seeking gain support for formation new international organization to be composed of revolutionary nations. However, there little doubt Mali as a leading revolutionary African state would be major target any such CHICOM policy. It is also undoubted fact that during last three months or so GOM has shown increasing public dissatisfaction with UN as presently constituted (see for example EMBTELS 343 and 357). Nevertheless, there no immediate evidence that GOM prepared scuttle that body in favor new organization however, revolutionary. Appears unlikely GOM would take such drastic tack unless it would be acting in concert other radical African states, particularly Algeria and Guinea.

As far as CHICOM Parliamentary Delegation is concerned, it was surprisingly unobtrusive. Communique usually published at close such visit not forthcoming. As noted various Embassy messages, many key Malian leaders were busy elsewhere during Delegation's visit and this must have been disappointment to CHICOMS. However, Delegation did meet with most leading Malians at one point or another during its visit. Thus, if Delegation wished discuss establishment new revolutionary organization, it had opportunity do so albeit in rather disjointed fashion.

Embassy will watch carefully for any indication GOM intends to move from current critical attitude towards UN to a hostile one which might precede Malian support for new revolutionary international organization.

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(1) Netherlands provided information re Che Guevara trip to African countries in February-March. Said trip was "political safari". Guevara tried convince non-aligned to form common front against Western imperialism, neo-colonialism, and US. He hinted increased commercial possibilities with Cuba limited for time being, although tried arrange for oil deliveries from Algeria and landing rights for Aeroflot on Moscow-Havana run.

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Netherlands informed by Algerian Embassy in Havana that trip was serious effort to align Cuba with non-aligned world but that if US continued its present policy, Cuba be unable break Soviet grip and be prevented from strengthening relations with non-aligned.

Netherlands commented that Africa appeared to show less interest in closer ties than did Cuba. Dutch would welcome information from other delegations.

(2) US briefed committee re trips three CHICOM Vice Foreign Ministers, utilizing circular 1775 and soliciting additional information. None forthcoming this meeting.

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The Deputy Prime Minister and Foreign Minister of Communist China, Marshal Chen Yi, arrived in Kabul aboard a special Chicom aircraft on March 22nd for a 3-day state visit. His entourage also included a Chicom deputy foreign minister, Han Nien Lung, and the director of the Chicom Foreign Ministry's First Asian Department, Chang Tung. A number of other unidentified personnel accompanied the Marshal, with the Chicom ambassador to Afghanistan, Hao Ting, also serving as a delegation member.

One principal theme ran throughout the visit to the effect that the RGA and the Chicoms are able to cooperate and move forward together despite differing social and political systems. This refrain was reiterated over and over in Afghan news media throughout the visit as well as being a point of comment by both Afghan and Chicom spokesmen (see Embtel 532). One interesting side note has been the mention of the 1960 Afghan-Sino friendship and nonaggression pact by the Deputy Prime Minister, Dr. Zaher, in the course of his remarks at the time the three agreements (final protocol supplement on the border demarcation agreement, the cultural agreement and the line of credit). The friendship pact has rarely heretofore been mentioned -- even publicly -- by official Afghan personnel. Zaher described it as the

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basis for the three agreements signed late March 24th in the office of the Prime Minister, and added that the 1960 pact was itself based on earlier understandings in 1955 as reflected in the principles of the Bandung Conference. Apart from Zaher's laudatory remarks, Ministry of Planning and Finance Ministry officials have been enthusiastic over the signing of the line of credit. One remarked that any Chicom advisors that came to Afghanistan as a result would "live like the Afghans", while others have agreeably noted the interest-free basis of the line of credit.

As previously reported, Marshal Chen Yi extended to Prime Minister Yusuf an invitation to visit Peiping on behalf of Chicom Premier Chou en Lai, and on his own behalf as Deputy Prime Minister to RGA Deputy Prime Minister Zaher. According to the Kabul Radio news of March 24th, the RGA leaders accepted the invitation but no dates were specified. Given the tremendous amount of activity looking toward parliamentary elections in September, coupled with the known travel plans of the Prime Minister for early spring and summer 1965, it is not believed that either visit is apt to be scheduled soon.

The cool indifference of local Soviet Embassy personnel, as well as other communist bloc personnel loyal to Moscow, was marked throughout the Chen Yi visit. At the Pakistan national day reception March 23rd, which Chen Yi and his delegation attended, the Soviet ambassador and his colleagues were observed staying about as far away from the Chicoms as the limits of propriety would permit. The Soviet ambassador was also notably absent at the airport arrival ceremony for Chen Yi on the 22nd of March, despite the fact that the Foreign Ministry had taken the usual step, reportedly at the urging of the Chicom Ambassador, of circularizing selected missions beforehand regarding Chen Yi's time of arrival.

Comment: Perhaps the desires and reactions in three particular areas can now be discerned from the Chen Yi visit -- the motives of the Chicoms and the Afghans themselves and some anticipation of reaction from the Soviet side. With respect to the Chicoms, there

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is little reason to doubt but that in their quest for greater international acceptance they were prepared to pay almost any initial price "to get in". It also seems clear, in the light of RGA comments that earlier indicated no particular haste on agreements stemming from the King's visit would ensue, that the Chicoms may well have brought some pressure to bear in rushing the RGA to the negotiating table.

The Afghans nevertheless signed a series of three agreements in the course of the visit of Chen Yi, and may be less unhappy than might first appear. Especially is this so in light of Prime Minister Yusuf's forthcoming trip to Moscow. The playing off of the Soviet Union and the United States, so far as RGA aid solicitations go has become a bit outmoded by reason of the improvement in USA-USSR contacts in the past two years. The RGA may well believe that a new play-off axis, in terms of gaining assistance on the premise of the Sino-Soviet polemic as they have to some extent in the perpetuity of the Cold War, can be profitable and still involve no major political risks. Prime Minister Yusuf rather smugly alluded to this in conversation with Ambassador Steeves (Embtel 552) in that U.S. apprehensions over USSR aid here had not been borne out.

At the same time, however, the Afghans obviously remain concerned that nothing take place that might be interpreted by the Soviets as showing bias in the Sino-Soviet polemic. Afghanistan's non-aligned status does not dovetail with many of the more strident aspects of Chicom foreign policy and there has been no diminution in links either with the West or her Moslem neighbors. The RGA can be expected to be alert to any insidious effects from an enlarged Chicom presence, but the latter are expected to be very much on their good behavior at least initially. Certainly the Chicoms are as aware as anyone else that Soviet technical assistance personnel present in Afghanistan have notably refrained from any significant propaganda effort and have comported themselves in a highly apolitical fashion.

Less certain at this juncture is the final reaction of Moscow to the Chicom blandishments in Afghanistan. Assuming the polemic

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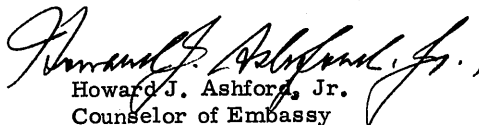
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remains at fever point, the Soviets are bound to have some concern -- if for no other reason than the practical one of obtaining eventual repayment on the long-term development credits granted this already over-extended nation. Their concern could reach the point of concessions to further RGA assistance requests to Moscow -- perhaps in terms of some moratorium on debt repayment or even additional projects -- in an effort to show that they can be as liberal as the Chicoms.

For the Ambassador:


Howard J. Ashford, Jr.
Counselor of Embassy
for Political Affairs

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Appreciate Embassy's proceeding convey concern over ~~En~~ En Lai
communiqué. Dept raised with Algerian Charge April 2.

We understand disadvantages in providing GOA any ~~GOA~~ basis for
suggesting decisions re aid are related to political factors. Fact
remains that realities Congressional and public reaction in US to
Algerian policies do affect continuing US ability assist Algeria.
While we do not wish make aid contingent upon particular policies, we
feel it essential Algerians understand that recurring examples of
alignment with Soviets and Chinese would seem often beyond that practised
by other Afro-Asian nations, are difficult to understand and to defend
in US and inevitably raise question whether we are helping basically
unfriendly government, and if so to what purpose. We seek make ~~these~~
points ~~point~~ here to Algerian Embassy who are perhaps better able ~~than~~
GOA to understand against background Washington atmosphere but believe
it is also important make point when possible in field.

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VISIT PRODUCED NO SURPRISES. COMMUNIQUE LARGELY DEVOTED TO GENERALITIES. (ASSUME TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE AVAILABLE ADDRESSES.)

IN ECONOMIC AID SECTION NEW CHINESE PROJECTS TO REPLACE EAST-WEST HIGHWAY AND KAMAPA IRRIGATION SCHEME UNSPECIFIED. WE UNDERSTAND ROAD CONSTRUCTION IN HILLS (BUT NOT BANEPA-JANAKPUR ROAD TO WHICH GOI OPPOSED AND WHICH CHINESE PRESSED) AND POWER PROJECT MOST LIKELY ITEMS. DETERMINATION WILL AWAIT VISIT CHINESE EXPERTS TO KATHMANDU. REFERENCE TO CHEN YI INTERESTS IN "VARIOUS REFORM PROJECTS" OF GON MEANS LAND REFORM AND REITERATES STANDING CHINESE OFFER PROVIDE ASSISTANCE. WE HAVE NO EVIDENCE HOWEVER GON HAS CHANGED EARLIER POSITION OF NOT TAKING DIRECT CHINESE ASSISTANCE IN THIS FIELD.

REFERENCES TO VIET-NAM GENERAL IN NATURE AND IN KEEPING WITH NEPALESE FORMAL NONALIGNMENT. SOMEWHAT MORE IMPORTANCE ATTACHED TO ALGIERS MEETING THAN GON HAD PREVIOUSLY DONE.

WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT CHEN YI DISCUSSED WITH KING MAHENDRA. DESPITE A FEW SIGNS OF CHINESE IRRITATION OVER GON ACCEPTANCE INDIAN-U.S. EAST-WEST HIGHWAY OFFER, VISIT PLAYED BY BOTH

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SIDES AS ANOTHER EPISODE OF CORDIAL NEPAL-CHINA FRIENDSHIP.
OVER-ALL IMPRESSION IS THAT GENERAL SOFT LINE TOWARD NEPAL
CONTINUES.

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March 26 daily NATION reported arrival Nairobi of CHICOM second Foreign Minister Chi Peng-Sei on March 24 for week-long visit. Thus far, no other information on his visit has surfaced in local press.

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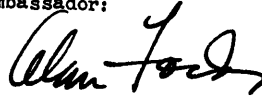
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It was Gabrici's impression that during the speeches at the banquet and at the mass meeting the following afternoon in the capital's principal square, Chou was cautious both in his references to Vietnam and to the USSR and Yugoslavia. The Yugoslav Charge, for example, did not walk out of the banquet, as he did last year when Chou expressed himself unrestrainedly against Tito. The Albanian rulers, on the other hand, were brutally insulting both against the US and against the Soviet and Yugoslav leaders.

For the Ambassador:



Alan W. Ford
First Secretary of Embassy

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Press reports Yugoslav Foreign Office April 2 lodged "most energetic protest" with Chinese Communist Embassy here over Chou En-lai's "anti-Yugoslav slanders" in Tirana speech March 29. Yugoslavs charged Chou slandered Yugoslav leadership, peace loving foreign policy and especially efforts of Yugoslavia, along with other nonaligned countries, for finding peaceful settlement of Vietnam crisis. Note declared speech "constitutes breach of elementary standards international relations and is calculated to flare up conflict and increase tension in world".

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Meanwhile Yugoslav press has followed Chou visit UAR with undertone of concern. TANJUG reported April 2 that visit at Chinese initiative with main aim of discussing forthcoming Afro-Asian Conference and Vietnam. Soviet and Malaysian attendance at conference reportedly discussed while UAR set forth views of nonaligned for peaceful settlement Vietnam crisis.

Comment: Delivery and publication of protest probably aimed at calling attention to nonaligned appeal on Vietnam as well as winning support for Yugoslavia from other nonaligned states against Chinese Communist criticism. As noted REFTEL, Yugoslavs show great concern over Chou's efforts in Africa. In this connection we speculate that hurried, one-day trip

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to Cairo March 29 by Foreign Office Assistant Secretary Pavicevic (which has not yet been revealed here publicly) may have had object of concerting UAR-Yugoslav position before Chou visit.

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CHOU EN-LAI LEFT RANGOON FOR CHINA NOON APRIL 4
AFTER JUST LESS THAN 24 HOUR STAY. WE UNDERSTAND CHOU
WAS CLOSETED WITH NE WIN UNTIL LATE AT NIGHT APRIL 3,
RESUMED TALKS 6:30 NEXT MORNING, AND DELAYED DEPARTURE
BY THREE HOURS. TALKS WERE NOT MENTIONED IN PRESS
REPORTS AND NOTHING IS KNOWN OF SUBSTANCE. BRIEF PRESS
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REPORTS OF VISIT NOTABLE FOR ABSENCE ANY BURMESE STATE-
MENT OF WELCOME OR FAREWELL, ALTHOUGH THEY INCLUDE
CHOU'S MESSAGE, RADIOED AFTER DEPARTURE, DESCRIBING
HIS "CORDIAL RECEPTION" AS "VIVID MANIFESTATION OF
'PAUKPHAW' (KINSMAN) FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN CHINA AND BURMA."
NO EDITORIAL COMMENT NOTED ON VISIT.

CHOU IS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID HE WOULD STOP OFF
RANGOON ON 16TH ON WAY TO BANDUNG.
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CHOU EN-LAI/CHEN I STOPOVER IN DACCA

1. BOTH CHOU EN-LAI AND CHEN I PASSED THROUGH DACCA ON APRIL
3 AND MADE BRIEF STOPOVERS.

2. CHOU EN-LAI, WHO ENROUTE TO RANGOON, MET AT DACCA AIRPORT
BY GOVERNOR EAST PAKISTAN AND OTHER GOEP OFFICIALS. ACCORDING
TO PRESS REPORTS, DURING 50 MINUTE STOPOVER CHOU SAID THAT
DURING ONE DAY STAY IN KARACHI HE HAD TALKS WITH PRES AYUB ON
"CERTAIN INTERNATIONAL ISSUES".
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HE ALSO NOTED THAT HE WAS HAPPY THAT HE MET PRES AYUB ON THE
EVE OF THE PRESIDENT'S DEPARTURE FOR SOVIET UNION AND WISHED
AYUB WELL ON HIS SOVIET TRIP.

3. CHEN I, RETURNING TO CHINA FROM NEPAL, WAS MET AT AIRPORT
BY DEWAN ABDUL BASIT, EAST PAK MIN OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.
ACCORDING TO PRESS CHEN I TOLD PRESS IT WOULD BE GOOD IF PUBLIC
OPINION IF PAKISTAN COULD PERSUADE U.S. TO WITHDRAW FROM SOUTH
VIETNAM. "AFTER ALL IT WAS NOT NECESSARY TO SHED BLOOD OF
AMERICANS AND VIETNAMESE ANYMORE." HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT
TENSION WOULD COME TO END AND AMERICANS WOULD WITHDRAW FROM
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4. BOTH CHEN I AND CHOU EN LAI MADE STATEMENT THAT PAKISTAN
HAD BECOME "ROUTE OF PASSAGE FOR US" AND THAT IF PAKISTAN WERE
TO CLOSE IT THEY WOULD HAVE TO GO ELSEWHERE, BUT "THAT THIS
WILL NEVER HAPPEN BECAUSE OUR FRIENDSHIP IS SOLID ENOUGH
AND WILL LAST LONG."

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DELEGATION TO ARRIVE ACCRA TODAY FOR FIVE-DAY VISIT.

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WHICH ARRIVED HERE APRIL 1, LEFT THIS MORNING FOR ACCRA.

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CONGOLESE OFFICIALS AND ALSO SPENT ONE FULL DAY IN POINTE-

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NOIRE. ONLY OTHER PUBLISHED ACTIVITIES OF GROUP WERE

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RECEPTIONS GIVEN FOR THEM BY CHICOM AMBASSADOR AND GOCB

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ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT ANGOR. SPEECHES MADE BY ANGOR AND LIU
ON LATTER OCCASION WERE CHARACTERIZED BY ACI AS ANTI-IMP-
ERIALIST HYMN.

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ASIDE FROM REVOLUTIONARY SOLIDARITY LUI SPEECH WAS VIOLENT
ATTACK ON US AS WELL AS UN. MAIN POINTS: (1) CHICOMS
CONVINCED THAT IF GOCB AND PEOPLE UNITE AND QTE INCREASE
POWER THEIR ARMED FORCES UNQTE ALL IMPERIALIST PLOTS
WILL BE BROKEN; (2) US IMPOSED TSHOMBE ON CONGO-LEO AND
LAUNCHED ARMED AGGRESSION AND SUBVERSIVE PLOTS AGAINST
CONGO-LEO'S NEIGHBORS IN ATTEMPT MAKE CONGO INTO ITS COLONY
AND SUBJECT ALL AFRICA; (3) CHICOMS FULLY SUPPORT FORTH-
COMING AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE WHICH CONSIDER IMPORTANT; (4)
US ATTEMPTING EXTEND WAR IN VIETNAM AND HAVE GONE SO FAR
AS TO USE POISONOUS GASES THERE; (5) UN HAS BEEN USED BY
QTE AMERICAN IMPERIALISM UNQTE TO COVER ITS CRIMES OF
AGGRESSION, HAS SLANDERED COMMUNIST CHINA, HAS ILLEGALLY
SENT TROOPS CONGO-LEO, ASSASSINATED LUMUMBA AND IMPRISONED
GIZENGA, AND HAS ILLEGALLY INTRODUCED QTE MALAYSIA UNQTE
INTO SECURITY COUNCIL, THUS FORCING INDONESIA WITHDRAW,
WHICH ACT CHICOMS FEEL WAS JUSTIFIED.
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ANGOR'S LENGTHY EFFORT WAS SORT OF REPORT TO NATION AND
GLORIFICATION OF WHAT NEW REGIME HAD ACCOMPLISHED. BECAUSE
OF CERTAIN COUP D'ETAT PLAN GOGB REVOLUTION HAS NOW CHANGED
FROM PEACEFUL ONE TO GTE ARMED AND VIOLENT REVOLUTION UNQTE AND
CALLED ON ALL CONGOLESE TO SHOW NO PITY TO THOSE PREPARING
COUP D'ETAT WITH FOREIGN ASSISTANCE.

ANGOR MILD IN COMPARISON TO CHICOM. HIS CALLING ON ALL
CONGOLESE TO UNITE AGAINST PLOTTERS IS CORE OF PRESENT
GOVERNMENT PROPAGANDA BUT THIS ONLY SECOND TIME TO OUR
KNOWLEDGE THAT OFFICIAL HAS ISSUED CALL FOR VIOLENT AND ARMED
REVOLUTION. CHICOM DEL MAY WELL HAVE SOUNDED OUT GOGB
ATTITUDE TOWARD NEW INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION (ACCRA'S 882).

NO INDICATION OF ANY GOGB REACTION BUT CHOU-EN-LAI CALL FOR
GTE REVOLUTIONARY UNITED NATIONS UNQTE (NCNA FROM CAIRO
GIVEN
PROMINENT PLAY TODAY'S BULLETIN.

WE INTEND BRING TO ATTENTION GOGB AS OPPORTUNITY OCCURS LACK
PROPRIETY SHOWN BY CHICOMS IN ATTACKING BY NAME COUNTRY WITH
WHICH CONGO MAINTAINS FREINDLY RELATIONS.

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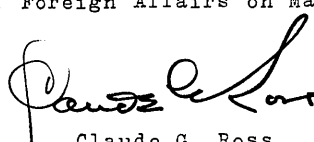
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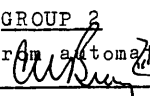
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List of Members of Chinese Communist Parliamentary Delegation

1. Liu Ning-yi, delegation leader; Vice President of Permanent Committee of People's National Assembly; member of Central Committee of CCP; president of National Trades Union Federation of Chinese Workers; vice president of Chinese Committee for Afro-Asian Solidarity.
2. Wang Ping, assistant delegation leader; deputy in the People's National Assembly; member of the National Defense Council; commissar of the Military Institute of the Peoples Liberation Army.
3. Ma Ching-nien, deputy in the People's National Assembly; member of the nationalities committee of the People's National Assembly.
4. Wang Kuang-wei, deputy in the People's National Assembly; member of the rules committee (commission des projets de loi) of the People's National assembly; vice president of the National Planning Committee.
5. Lien Kuan, deputy in the People's National Assembly; vice Secretary General of the Standing Committee of the People's National Assembly; Secretary General of the Parliamentary delegation.
6. Wu Mao-sun, deputy in the People's National Assembly; member of the Rules Committee of the People's National Assembly; member of Permanent Central Commission of the Kuomintang Revolutionary Committee of China.
7. Wu Han, deputy in the People's National Assembly; vice president of the Democratic League of China; vice mayor of Peiping; member of the Department of Philosophy and Social Sciences of the Academy of Sciences of China.
8. Chin Chi-fu, deputy in the People's National Assembly; member of the Praesidium of the National Trades Union Federation of Chinese Workers; president of the Trades Union Federation of Liaoning Province.
9. Wu Chih-ang, member of the Standing Committee of the People's National Assembly; vice president of the Democratic

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Construction Association of China; vice president of the National Federation of the Political Consultative Conference of the Chinese People.

10. (Mrs.) Huang Kan-ying, deputy in the People's National Assembly; secretary of the Secretariat of the National Federation of Women of China.

11. Chiao Shih, Secretary.

12. Tsao Kuei-sheng.

13. Sun Li.

14. Chang Kuo-wei.

15. Huang Yu-lin.

16. (Mrs.) Shen Pei-jung, interpreter.

17. (Mrs.) Chi Tsung-hun (or hua or huo), interpreter.

18. Tang Tsien-wen, interpreter.

19. (Mrs.) Liu Shan-chen, interpreter.

20. (Mrs.) Chao Suy-yuan, doctor.

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Cairo Arabic press reports Chou En-lai received Palestine Liberation Organization Chairman Ahmed Shuqeiri 0200 hours April 2. Chou's plane took off 0710. Perhaps noteworthy Shuqeiri returned from Peking two weeks ago. PLO mission will go Peking next week to open office.

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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

1. AYUB, 4 CABINET MINS (BHUTTO, SHAHABUDDIN, FAROOQ, ALTAF HUSAIN) RECEIVED CHICOM PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI AT KARACHI AIRPORT APRIL 2. AYUB HELD TWO HOUR TALK WITH CHOU EVENING APRIL 2. TALKS HELD IN PRESENCE LARGE NUMBER PAK AND CHICOM ADVISORS INCLUDING ON PAK SIDE, FOMMIN BHUTTO, FONSEC AZIZ AHMED, ADDL FONSEC AGHA SHAHI, AND PAK AMBASSADOR TO CPR RAZA AND ALL CHICOM ADVISORS ON CHOU SIDE. AYUB ALSO HOSTED BANQUET FOR CHOU AFTER TALKS COMPLETED. EARLIER IN DAY, FOMMIN BHUTTO AND CHOU HAD TALKED FOR 90 MINUTES.
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2. PRESS REPORTS STATED "EXPLOSIVE SITUATION" IN VIETNAM AND A-A CONF WERE DISCUSSED AS WELL AS OTHER UNSPECIFIED SUBJECTS. CHOU REPORTEDLY BRIEFED PAKS ON HIS CONVERSATIONS WITH NASSER AND BEN BELLA. ONLY SUBSTANTIVE PAK COMMENT ON VISIT BY BHUTTO WHO OBSERVED THAT SEA REPRESENTED "GREATEST CRISIS" IN WORLD AT PRESENT, THAT TENSION THERE ACUTE, AND THAT PAKS HOPED ALL PEACE-LOVING STATES WOULD CONCENTRATE ON BRINGING ABOUT PEACE AND TRANQUILITY IN VIETNAM."

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3. CHICOM DELEG LISTED IN PRESS AS FOLLOWS: CHOU; VICE-PREMIER HSIEN FU-CHIH; VICE FONMIN CHANG HAN-FU; CCP CC ALTERNATE CHAO YI-MIN; STATE COUNCIL DEPY SECRGENL LO CHING-CHANG; DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR, STATE COMMISSION FOR ECON RELATIONS WITH FOR COUNTRIES, TAN WEI; DEPY DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR, MINPUBSEC, SENIOR COL. YANG TEH-CHUNG; DEPY SECY GENL, STATE COUNCIL OFF OF FORAFF, MA LIEH; SECY TO PREMIER CHOU, WU LI-CHIH; DEPY CHIEF, TRANSLATION DIVISION, MFA, HUANG CHIN-CHI; CHIEF SECY AND AIDE TO PREMIER, CHEN YUAN-KUNG; " AND FOUR OFFICIALS"

COMMENT: CHOU DOMINATD CEREMONIES AT AYUB AIRPORT DEPARTURE FOR MOSCOW APRIL 3. CHOU WENT STRAIGHT TO AIRPORT RAMP WHERE HE PAUSED TO BID AYUB FAREWELL AND CHAT WITH HIM BEFORE AYUB BOARDED AIRCRAFT. CHOU LEFT BY PIA CHARTER FOR Dacca SHORTLY AFTER AYUB DEPARTURE FOR MOSCOW.
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Dept requests you seek appointment at high level in GOA to convey
concern of USG at ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Ben Bella-Chou communique on
Viet Nam. As GOA well aware USG has taken great pains to explain its
position on Viet Nam including Secretary's briefing for Chiefs of
Mission in Washington March 26. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Algerian association with such
anti-US statement incompatible with friendly US-Algerian relations and
contradicts frequent GOA assertion that, as non-aligned state, it bases
its foreign policy on objective consideration of all points of view and
facts each situation. In adhering to communique GOA obviously departed
from this policy, thereby lending credence to growing US doubt as to
GOA desire for continued friendly relations and cooperation with US.
Appreciate considerations set forth Embtel 2270. Nevertheless
believe GOA should know grave view we take of this communique.
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Dept will take same strong line with ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ here.

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YUGOSLAV PRESS REACTED SHARPLY TO ATTACKS ON YUGOSLAVIA BY CHOU EN-LAI DURING HIS ALBANIAN VISIT AND IS FOLLOWING CAREFULLY HIS CURRENT VISIT TO ALGIERS. POLITIKA CORRESPONDENT MARCH 30 IMPLICITLY CRITICIZED CHOU'S STATEMENT ON ARRIVAL ALGIERS THAT WORLD SITUATION DEVELOPING EXTREMELY FAVORABLY. POLITIKA CONCLUDED THAT BASIC MOTIVES FOR CHOU VISIT RELATE TO PREPARATIONS FOR AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE AND "CHINA'S ALARM OVER RELATIVELY SLOW PACE OF WORK OF PREPARATORY COMMITTEE".

BORBA EDITORIAL MARCH 31 BLASTED CHOU'S CRITICISM IN TIRANA OF YUGOSLAV AND NONALIGNED INITIATIVE FOR NEGOTIATIONS ON VIETNAM. NOTED THAT CHOU SHOWED HIMSELF TO BE INTERESTED IN MAINTAINING AND INCREASING TENSION IN WORLD AND IN BALKANS, FAR AWAY FROM HIS OWN COUNTRY. HELD THAT BY ATTEMPTING "UNMASK" YUGOSLAV PEACE EFFORTS CHOU REVEALING CHICOM POLICY, NAMELY, THAT CHINESE HAVE NO SYMPATHY FOR VIETNAMESE PEOPLE AS SHOWN BY PEIPING'S POSING RIGID DEMANDS AS A PRECONDITION TO ANY NEGOTIATIONS AND BY SUGGESTING THAT WAR IN SE ASIA COULD CONTINUE FOR ANOTHER TWENTY YEARS. EDITORIAL ASSERTED THAT CHINESE REGARD MISFORTUNES OF VIETNAM ONLY AS PAWN FOR THEIR EGOISTIC AND HEGEMONISTIC PLANS AND AS "EVENTUAL TRUMP CARD FOR ACCOMMODATIONS IN INTEREST OF PRC AS GREAT POWER". BORBA CONCLUDED THAT CHINESE POLICY COINCIDES WITH POLITICAL ORIENTATION AND ASPIRATIONS OF MOST REACTIONARY US CIRCLES: "BECAUSE OF IDENTICAL EGOISTIC INTERESTS BOTH WANT THE SAME -- EXCALATION OF WAR IN VIETNAM DOWN TO LAST VIETNAMESE".

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COMMENT: ALTHOUGH SUCH YUGOSLAV REACTION TO CHOU'S CRITICISM WAS TO BE EXPECTED, IT NEVERTHELESS REVEALS ACUTE GOY FEARS REGARDING AIMS AND POSSIBLE SUCCESS OF CHINESE AMBITIONS IN AFRO-ASIAN WORLD. SINCE CHOU'S VISIT TO AFRICA FIFTEEN MONTHS AGO EXCITED AND ALARMED YUGOSLAVS, CURRENT VISIT WILL CERTAINLY AROUSE THEIR CONCERN REGARDING POSSIBLE ADVERSE EFFECTS VISIT MIGHT HAVE ON COHESIVENESS OF NONALIGNED BLOC WHICH ALREADY EXPERINCING PROCESS OF FRAGMENTATION AND DISUNITY.

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PAO AND I CALLED THIS MORNING ON DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION (LOUANCHI) WHO FUNCTIONS WITHIN OFFICE OF PRESIDENCY. IN GENERAL CONVERSATION WE MENTIONED RUMOR CHINESE LEFT ALGIERS IN VERY DISSATISFIED FRAME OF MIND. I SAID IT NOT CLEAR WHY CHOU-EN-LAI SHOULD BE ANNOYED WITH ALGERIANS BECAUSE AFTER ALL ALGERIANS HAD PROTECTED THEM BY EXCLUDING ALL FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS FROM CHOU'S PRESS CONFERENCE HELD YESTERDAY EVENING. LOUANCHI REACTED TO THIS BY DECLARING EMPHATICALLY THAT FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS WERE EXCLUDED ON CHINESE INSISTENCE AS LATTER DID NOT WISH TO BE FACED WITH EMBARRASSING QUESTIONS. I REMARKED THAT EXPLAINED WHY CHOU'S PRESS CONFERENCE SO STERILE AND DEVOID OF CONTENT.

ALTO TOOK OCCASION TO TELL LOUANCHI THAT INVECTIVE AND EXCESSIVE LANGUAGE OF ALGERIAN PRESS UNDOUBTEDLY HARMFUL TO ALGERIAN IMAGE ABROAD. HE DECLARED USE OF INVECTIVE AND INSULTS CONTRARY TO DESIRE OF "COMMISSION OF ORIENTATION" OF FLN POLITICAL BUREAU. HE SAID IT RESULTS FROM EDITORS' INITIATIVE AND FACT NO DAILY CENSORSHIP OF PRESS EXISTS IN ALGERIA. I SAID NEVERTHELESS RESPONSIBILITY CLEARLY LIES WITH "COMMISSION OF ORIENTATION" AND WITH DIRECTORATE OF INFORMATION WHICH IS ITS INSTRUMENT. HE AGREED EDITORS SHOULD BE TOLD TO AVOID INVECTIVE AND INSULTS AND SHOULD BE BRIEFED MORE OFTEN TO THAT EFFECT, REPEATING IT NOT

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DESIRE OF POLITICAL BUREAU ENGAGE IN THAT TYPE OF JOURNALISM.

FINALLY, PAO TOOK UP WITH HIM NUMBER OF ALGERIAN JOURNALISTS BEING SENT TO COMMUNIST STATES AS COMPARED TO THOSE VISITING U.S. AND WESTERN COUNTRIES. LOUANCHI SAID IT NATURAL IN VIEW OF ALGERIA'S SOCIALIST ORIENTATION THAT THIS SHOULD OCCUR IN ORDER THAT ALGERIA "MAY PROFIT" FROM EXPERIENCE OTHER SOCIALIST STATES. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THIS NEED NOT HOLD TRUE FOR FUTURE AND SAW NO OBJECTION TO MORE CONTACTS WITH U.S. SAYING HE WOULD LIKE TO VISIT U.S. HIMSELF.

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ARRIVE SOON (POSSIBLY CHICOM PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION WHICH
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GOG CONFIDENTIALLY ON FORMATION NEW INTERNATIONAL ORGANI-
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GOG REACTION IS TO FAVOR IDEA. IN WHAT APPEARS BE RATIONAL-
IZATION BY NKRUMAH OF HIS TRADITIONAL POSITION OF SUPPORT
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EXIST SIDE BY SIDE WITH UN AND ACTUALLY IMPROVE UN PERFORM-
ANCE. RUSSIAN EMBASSY HAS JUST GOT WIND OF PROPOSAL AND
REPORTEDLY MADE PRESENTATION AGAINST IT TO FOREIGN
MINISTRY THIS MORNING.

SOURCE ALSO SAYS NKRUMAH HAD BEEN THINKING OF SENDING
MISSION HEADED BY BOTSIO TO PEKING TO URGE LATTER STEP UP
ASSISTANCE TO CONGO "NATIONALISTS." SOURCE SPECULATED THAT
BOTSIO, WHO APPARENTLY RELUCTANT TO GO, MIGHT NOT BE FORCED
MAKE TRIP IF NKRUMAH DECIDES HE CAN PRESENT HIS CASE
SUFFICIENTLY WELL TO DELEGATION COMING HERE.

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COMMENT: SOURCE IS IN POSITION BE WELL INFORMED. HOWEVER, HE IS LARGELY UNTESTED AND THIS IS FIRST WE HAVE HEARD EIGHTER THAT CHICOMS ACTIVELY PROMOTING NEW ORGANIZATION IN AFRICA OR THAT GOG PLANNING EGG CHICOMS ON IN CONGO. SUGGEST INFO ADDRESSEES EXCEPT LEO MAY WISH TRY DISCREETLY TO LEARN, BUT WITHOUT MENTIONING THAT GHANA AS SOURCE POSSIBLE LEAK, WHETHER MEMBERS CHICOM PARLIAMENTARY

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DELEGATION HAVE MADE ANY SUCH PROPOSAL THERE.

INFORMATION ON GOG PLAN TO URGE CHICOM STEP UP OPERATIONS IN CONGO IS STILL MORE SENSITIVE, AS APPARENTLY NEITHER RUSSIANS NOR ANY ONE ELSE EXCEPT GOG AND CHICOM ENBASSY KNOW OF IT. WE WILL DO WHAT WE CAN HERE TO GET CONFIRMATION OR INDICATION IT UNTRUE.

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CHICOM PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION, WHICH SUCCEEDED TOURING BASKETBALL TEAM AND ACROBATIC TROOP IN RECENT CHICOM CULTURAL EXCHANGE BIT, DEPARTED BANGUI FOR BRAZZAVILLE MORNING APRIL 1.

DINNER HOSTED BY PRESIDENT DACKO ELICITED FROM HIM FREQUENT REFERENCES IN HIS LENGTHY TOAST TO "IMPERIALISM", TERMS WHICH HE HAS HERETOFORE ALMOST NEVER USED IN PUBLIC. PRESIDENT NOTED THAT C.A.R. ENGAGED IN "BLOODY BATTLE" TO ERADICATE "IMPERIALISM WHICH HAS BEEN ROUTED IN COUNTRY FOR PAST 100 YEARS" AND REFERRED APPROVINGLY TO CHICOM WILLINGNESS GIVEN AID WITHOUT CONDITIONS. SEVERAL TIMES EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT IT WAS DUTY OF CHICOMS, WHO HAD ENCOUNTERED SIMILAR PROBLEMS IN BUILDING OWN COUNTRY, TO OFFER ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE. NOTED THAT SINCE THERE NO CENTRAL AFRICAN CAPITALISTS OR CENTRAL AFRICAN SAVINGS ACCOUNTS, COUNTRY WOULD HAVE TO RELY ON SOCIALISM IN DEVELOPMENT EFFORT. ALSO NOTED THAT AS C.A.R. HAS NO INTENTION EXPORTING ITS IDEALOGIES TO CHINESE MAINLAND, SO HE WAS CERTAIN CHICOMS WOULD FIND IT "IMPOSSIBLE" IMPLANT THEIR PHILOSOPHIES IN C.A.R.. STRESSED HIS ATTACHMENT TO PRINCIPLE NON-INTERFERENCE EACH OTHERS DOMESTIC AFFAIRS.

IN REPLY, LEADER CHICOM DELEGATION LIU NING-YI PROMISED SUPPORT OF CHINESE PEOPLE TO C.A.R. IN ITS "HEROIC STRUGGLE" AGAINST "IMPERIALISTS." REITERATING PRINCIPAL THEMES HE HAD EXPRESSED EARLIER IN VISIT AT DINNER HOSTED BY NATIONAL ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT ADAMA-TAMBOUX, HE NOTED THAT BOTH COUNTRIES BELONGED TO "RISING NATIONS" OF AFRO-ASIAN BLOC SEEKING TO REDISCOVER IDENTITY AFTER YEARS OF IMPERIALIST REPRESSION AND MUST CONTINUE STRUGGLE AGAINST AMERICAN IMPERIALISM WHETHER IN CONGO (L) OR SOUTH VIETNAM;

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IN BOTH COUNTRIES "AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS INTENSIFYING ARMED REPRESSION AND MASSACRAING ALL THOSE WHO ASPIRE TO NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND LIBERATION." IN TOAST AT ADAMA-TAMBOUX DINNER LIU HAD THANKED C.A.R. FOR SUPPORT IN STRUGGLE AGAINST "2-CHINAS THESIS" AND FOR ITS EFFORTS IN BEHALF "RESTORATION LEGITIMATE RIGHTS OF C.P.R. IN UNITED NATIONS." ALSO SAID IN SAME BREATH THAT "WE ARE FACED WITH EXCELLENT REVOLUTIONARY SITUATION" BUT MUST CONTINUE STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM WHICH NOT YET DEAD.

WHILE PRESIDENT RECEIVING CHICOM DELEGATION IN FAREWELL CALL APRIL 1, CONSEIL DE CABINET DECIDED AUTHORIZE "CULTURAL DELEGATION" TO PEIPING DURING APRIL. WE ALSO NOTE RECURRING RUMORS THAT PRESIDENT MAY BE PLANNING VISIT MOSCOW AND PEIPING FOLLOWING WHAT WE UNDERSTAND TO BE FORTHCOMING PRIVATE VISIT TO WEST GERMANY IN JUNE.

COMMENT: ALTHOUGH PRESIDENTS' SPEECH HAD LITTLE BIT OF EVERYTHING FOR EVERYBODY, IN CONTEXT IT MOST STRAIGHTFORWARD PUBLIC ATTACK WE HAVE NOTED ON WHAT HE USED TO CALL "TRADITIONAL FRIENDS"; IRONICALLY NOBODY IN FRENCH EMBASSY APPEARS TO HAVE HEARD RADIO BROADCAST OF SPEECH AND NOW SEEKING COPY OF TEXT (AS WE ARE). WHILE PRESIDENTS' REMARKS DO NOT CONSTITUTE RADICAL BREAK WITH PAST, THEY DO OPEN UP DISTURBING POSSIBILITIES FOR FUTURE.

CHICOM SPEECHES MISSED NO OPPORTUNITY PLAY "AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS" AND GIVEN WHAT WE CONSIDER SURPRISING PLAY ON RADIO IN LENGHT RECENT MESAN STEERING COMMITTEE WARNING AGAINST "INTOXICATING PROPAGANDA" BEING CIRCULATED BY FOREIGN EMBASSIES. FACT THAT SUBSEQUENT TO CHICOMS DEPARTURE MESAN POLITICAL COMMITTEE REPORTEDLY WARNED RADIO REPORTER PLAY DOWN NORTH VIETNAMESE VISIT (SEE FOLLOWING TELEGRAM) SUGGESTS THAT WHILE PRESIDENT MAY HAVE FELT COMPELLED MEET CHICOMS AT LEAST PART WAY, PERHAPS AS RESULT GROWING PRESSURES FROM YOUNGER RADICALS, HE NOT WILLING HAVE THINGS GO TOO FAR.

POUCHING AVAILABLE TEXTS AND LIST MEMBERS CHICOM DELEGATIONS.

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CHOU EN LAI DELEGATION ARRIVED CAIRO 1230 APRIL 1 AND DEPARTED 0700 APRIL 2 FOR KARACHI. DINNER AND TALKS WITH NASSER INCLUDED PRIMIN SABRY, DEP PRIMIN FOR SCIENCE KAMAL RIFAAT AND PRES SOUTH AFRICAN AFFAIRS ADVISER MOHAMMED FAYAK FOR UAR. FOR CHICOMS DEP PRIMIN, DEP FONMIN, DEP SEC GEN STATES COUNCIL, PARTY MEMBER AND CHICOM AMB CAIRO. NO OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE RELEASED AND LOCAL PRESS SOURCES SAY NONE PLANNED. AUTHORITATIVE AL AHRAH REPORTS "TWO MAIN TOPICS" DISCUSSED; USSR AND MALAYSIAN PARTICIPATION AFRO-ASIAN CONF AND VIETNAM THREAT TO PEACE ESPECIALLY SINCE AIR RAIDS NORTH VIETNAM. AFRICA AMONG OTHER TOPICS DISCUSSED.

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FOLLOWING ARE MAIN POINTS BEN BELLA - CHOU COMMUNIQUE :

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FRANK AND SINCERE TALKS WERE HELD ON INTERNATIONAL
SITUATION ESPECIALLY PROBLEMS AFRICAN AND ASIAN COUNTRIES FACING.
DELEGATIONS ALSO EXAMINED PROSPECTS FOR DEVELOPMENT
SINO-ALGERIAN COOPERATION AS WELL AS OTHER PROBLEMS OF
COMMON INTEREST.

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TWO PARTIES AGREED PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION
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OF PEOPLES OF AFRICA, ASIA AND LATIN AMERICA AGAINST
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THEIR STRUGGLE TO CONQUER IN ORDER ESTABLISH EQUALITY
AMONG COUNTRIES AND WORLD PEACE.TWO PARTIES CONVINCED ACTIVE SOLIDARITY AMONG PEOPLES AND
EFFECTIVE SUPPORT THEIR LIBERATION MOVEMENT ACCORDING
PRINCIPLES BANDUNG WILL DETERMINE SUCCESS OF FORCES STRUGGLING
AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND ALL FORMS OF ECONOMIC DOMINATION AND FOR
NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND EQUALITY OF COUNTRIES.TWO PARTIES NOTE WITH SATISFACTION DEVELOPMENT OF NATIONAL
STRUGGLE IN AFRICA (USUAL AREAS CITED) AND IN OCCUPIED
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PARTICULARLY IN CONGO AND SOUTH VIETNAM TAKES ON GREAT IMPORTANCE. USE OF FOREIGN TROOPS AND MERCENARIES IS AGGRESSION AND INTERFERENCE DESIGNED IMPOSE NEO-COLONIALIST DOMINATION. TWO PARTIES FIRMLY SUPPORT COMBAT PURSUED BY CONGO (L) PEOPLE AND CONSIDER PROBLEM OF CONGO (L) CAN ONLY BE SETTLED BY CONGOLESE PEOPLE THEMSELVES WITH COOPERATION OF OAU ON BASIS NON - INTERFERENCE OF IMPERIALIST AND COLONIALIST POWERS AND WITHDRAWAL THEIR TROOPS.

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FOLLOWING SECTION ON VIETNAM BY SEPARATE MESSAGE)

CPR SUPPORT REAFFIRMED FOR ATTITUDE OF ARAB STATES INCLUDING ALGERIA AGAINST GERMAN REPUBLIC WHICH, IN CONNIVANCE WITH AMERICAN IMPERIALISM AND ZIONISM, HAS ENCOURAGED BY ITS CONSIDERABLE DELIVERIES OF ARMS EXPANSIONIST AND AGGRESSIVE GOALS OF ISRAEL. CPR ALSO SUPPORTS JUST STRUGGLE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE AND ITS MOVEMENT THE PLO.

BOTH PARTIES RENEW THEIR SOLIDARITY AND ACTIVE SUPPORT FOR CONQUEST AND SAFEGUARD OF NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE.

SECOND ASAF CONFERENCE TO BE HELD SHORTLY AT ALGIERS HAS PARTICULAR IMPORTANCE FOR EFFECTIVE SOLIDARITY ASAF COUNTRIES AND REINFORCEMENT COMMON ACTION ... TWO PARTIES WILL MARSHALL ALL THEIR EFFORTS FOR ITS SUCCESS. CHOU ADMIRER EFFORTS DISPLAYED IN THIS SENSE BY BEN BELLA AND GOA.

TWO PARTIES AGREE VISIT HAS MADE GREAT CONTRIBUTION TO DEVELOPMENT OF RELATIONS OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN CHINESE AND ALGERIAN PEOPLES AND TO PROMOTION OF ASAF SOLIDARITY.
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CHOU GAVE INTERVIEW TO OFFICIAL ALGERIAN PRESS SERVICE
IN WHICH HE MADE FOLLOWING POINTS:

1) HE HAD PROFITED FROM HIS OFFICIAL MISSION IN EUROPE
TO REVISIT ALGERIA. MEETINGS WITH ALGERIANS HAD BEEN
IMPORTANT AND HAD DEALT WITH VARIOUS QUESTIONS. "ESSENTIALLY
WE REACHED AN IDENTITY OF VIEWS." ACTIONS OF IMPERIALISM
THREATENING WORLD PEACE HAD BEEN ANALYZED AND "OUR TASK
IN COMMON ANTI-IMPERIALIST STRUGGLE" HAD BEEN DISCUSSED
AND PUT IN SHAPE. COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES IN
VARIOUS AREAS WAS ALSO TAKEN UP AND THEIR RELATIONS EXPECTED
BE ENLARGED.

2) BANDUNG I WAS SUCCESSFUL BECAUSE CONFEREES PUT ASIDE
THEIR DIFFERENCES AND SOUGHT COMMON AGREEMENT ON GENERAL
PRINCIPLES. PREPARATORY PROCEEDINGS FOR BANDUNG II
HAVE BEEN PROCEEDING SATISFACTORILY AND GUARANTEE ITS
SUCCESS. CPR EXPECTS BANDUNG II WILL PRODUCE MORE CONCRETE
RESULTS THAN ITS PREDECESSOR, BUILDING ON BASE OF TEN
PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG I TO DEAL WITH STRUGGLE AGAINST
IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM, SUPPORT
OF ALL NATIONAL LIBERATION AND INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENTS,
AND SUPPORT OF EFFORTS OF REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENTS EXPAND
THEIR ACTIVITIES FOR DEFENSE OF WORLD PEACE. "WE CAN

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CONCLUDE OTHER MORE CONCRETE AGREEMENTS ON EACH POINT OF PREPARATORY AGENDA ESTABLISHED BY FONMINS BY MEANS OF MORE FREQUENT CONSULTATIONS."

3) AMERICAN IMPERIALISM IS USING EXTENSION OF WAR TO FORCE PATRIOTS AND PEOPLE SOUTH VIETNAM TO LAY DOWN THEIR ARMS AND RENOUNCE STRUGGLE FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION. THIS WILL FAIL. MARCH 22 DECLARATION OF FNL OF SOUTH VIETNAM HAS RECEIVED SUPPORT OF DRV, CPR AND NORTH KOREAN GOVTS AND "WE ARE CONVINCED IT WILL RECEIVE EVEN WIDER SUPPORT THROUGHOUT WORLD." DIRECT AMERICAN AGGRESSION AGAINST SOUTH VIETNAM THROUGH INCREASED REPRESSION AND INTENSIVE BOMBINGS OF NORTH VIETNAM ARE VIOLATION OF 1954 GENEVA AGREEMENTS AND "ACTS OF PIRACY." ONLY SOLUTION IS CESSATION US AGGRESSIVE ACTS AND WITHDRAWAL OF US FORCES FROM SOUTH VIETNAM. OTHERWISE RESULT WILL BE "TOTAL DEFEAT OF AMERICAN IMPERIALISM."

4) TO QUESTION ASKING HIS ATTITUDE ON SITUATION IN PALESTINE, CONGO, ANGOLA WHERE IMPERIALISTS SEEK CREATE DIVISIONS IN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS BY MANEUVERS EVEN INCLUDING USE OF FORCES, CHOU SAID "TROUBLES CREATED ALL OVER WORLD ARE DUE TO AMERICAN IMPERIALISM WHICH TRIES ASSURE WORLD HEGEMONY," BUT RESULT WILL ONLY BE TO STRENGTHEN RESISTANCE OF LOCAL PEOPLES AND THEIR NEIGHBORS. CPR REAFFIRMS TOTAL SUPPORT FOR THOSE STRUGGLING FOR DIGNITY KNOWING THAT AT PRESENT SITUATION SVOLVING FAVORABLY FOR THEM.

5) FORTHCOMING WORLD YOUTH FESTIVAL WILL REINFORCE UNITY OF WORLD YOUTH UNDER BANNER OF STRUGGLE AGAINST COLONIALISM, NEO-COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM AND CREATE GOOD CONDITIONS IN STRUGGLE TO INSTALL WORLD PEACE AND ASSURE BRILLIANT FUTURE FOR WORLD YOUTH.

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FIRST IMPRESSION OF SINO-ALGERIAN COMMUNIQUE IS THAT BEN BELLA HAS ASSOCIATED HIMSELF WITH ONE OF THE STRONGEST ASSERTATIONS OF FUNDAMENTAL CONFLICT BETWEEN THIRD WORLD AND US AIMS WHICH WE HAVE SEEN HERE. COMMUNIQUE READS LIKE THIRD WORLD REVOLUTIONARY MANIFESTO WITH US CAST IN ROLE OF PRINCIPAL VILLAIN. IN FACT, WE THINK IT MAY BE A MISTAKE TO READ TOO MUCH INTO COMMUNIQUE AS SIGN OF ANY SERIOUS SHIFT ALGERIAN ATTITUDE TOWARD MORE RADICAL CHINESE LINE. COMMUNIQUE REALLY SAYS NOTHING RPT NOTHING THAT HAS NOT RPT NOT BEEN SAID BEFORE. IN RETURN FOR CHINESE SUPPORT ON CONGO, PALESTINE AND OTHER PROBLEMS PRE- OCCUPYING BEN BELLA IN THIS PART OF WORLD, HE HAS GONE ALONG WITH ABUSIVE LANGUAGE ON VIETNAM.

CHOU EN LAI PRESUMABLY DID NOT RPT NOT MAKE HIS TWO DAY TRIP TO ALGIERS JUST TO SIGN COMMUNIQUE. HE CAME HERE PRESUMABLY TO KEEP EYE ON MEETING BANDUNG PREPARATORY COMMITTEE MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE OPENING ALGIERS END OF JUNE AND TO ATTAIN SOME SATISFACTION FROM ALGERIAN HOSTS AS REGARDS EXCLUSION USSR. WE HAVE NO RPT NO WAY OF KNOWING YET HOW WELL HE SUCCEEDED, BUT THERE ARE VARIOUS INDICATIONS HE DID NOT RPT NOT LEAVE A COMPLETELY HAPPY MAN. IT SEEMS TO US THEREFORE THAT COMMUNIQUE MAY WELL HAVE BEEN DESIGNED ESSENTIALLY TO COVER UP DISAGREEMENTS WHICH HAVE NOT RPT NOT YET BEEN RESOLVED.

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UNTIL WE HAVE HAD CHANCE TO CHECK THIS HYPOTHESES WITH
FRIENDLY AFRICAN AND ASIAN COLLEAGUES, WE PREFER TO WITH-
HOLD JUDGMENT ON THE REAL IMPORT OF COMMUNIQUE, AS
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SOUNDS.

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" TWO PARTIES ENERGETICALLY CONDEMN REPEATED AGGRESSIONS
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AND EXTENSION OF MILITARY OPERATIONS TO DRV. THEY
EXPRESSED THEIR CONVICTION THAT AGGRAVATION OF SITUATION
IN VIETNAM DIRECTLY THREATENS SECURITY OF ASIAN COUNTRIES
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AND WORLD PEACE. TWO PARTIES RESOLUTELY SUPPORT JUST
STRUGGLE OF SOUTH VIETNAMESE PEOPLE AGAINST AGGRESSION OF
AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS AND FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION. SINCE
ACTIVE SOLIDARITY WITH VIETNAMESE PEOPLE IS IMPERATIVE
DUTY FOR FREEDOM AND PEACE-LOVING PEOPLES, TWO PARTIES
CONSIDER PROBLEM CAN ONLY BE RESOLVED BY VIETNAMESE PEOPLE
ITSELF ON BASIS OF NON-INTERFERENCE OF IMPERIALISM AND
WITHDRAWAL OF ITS TROOPS, IN CONFORMITY WITH LEGITIMATE
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CH'EN I VISIT:

1. ON ARRIVAL Dacca FROM KARACHI MAR 29, CHICOM FORMIN CH'EN I
TOLD PRESS COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICANS FROM SEA WAS
PREREQUISITE FOR PEACE IN REGION. IF US DID NOT WITHDRAW,
IT WOULD SUFFER "COMPLETE AND THOROUGH DEFEAT." CH'EN QUOTED
AS SAYING DRV APPEALING FOR CHICOM HELP AND "SHOULD AMERICANS
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MAKE FURTHER ATTACKS WE WILL SURELY TAKE PART IN FIGHTING."
CH'EN, WHO WAS MET IN Dacca BY EAST PAK GOV MONEW KHAN AND
COMMUN SABUR, DESCRIBED PAK VISIT AS "VERY SUCCESSFUL."

2. CH'EN LEFT Dacca MAR 30 FOR KATHMANDU. LEAVING PAK TERRITORY,
HE SENT PAK FORMIN BHUTTO MESSAGE NOTING HE CARRYING BACK
WITH HIM "DEEP FRIENDSHIP OF PAK PEOPLE."

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AS WAS TO BE EXPECTED FLN PRESS PLYING UP CHOU EN LAI VISIT AS SYMBOL AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY IN FACE IMPERIALIST PRESSURES. HOWEVER IT CLEAR FROM CHOU'S SCHEDULE WHICH CALLS FOR MEETINGS ONLY WITH GOA AND TOP FLN OFFICIALS THAT THIS IS NO-NONSENSE WORKING VISIT. HE LEAVES 7 AM THURSDAY, PRESUMABLY FOR CAIRO.

THERE NUMBER OF SIGNS THAT GOA AND BEN BELLA HINSLEF NOT ALTOGETHER PLEASED BY PROSPECTS OF BEING BROUGHT FACE TO FACE WITH HARD CHICOM LINE ON HOW AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY SHOULD BE ORGANIZED. CHOU'S LENGTHY ARRIVAL STATEMENT TO RADIO AND PRESS WAS UNCOMPROMISING ATTACK ON "IMPERIALISM, COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM" WITH ASSERTION OF TOTAL CHICOM COMMITMENT TO "JUST STRUGGLE" OF ASIANS, AFRICANS AND LATIN AMERICANS. CHOU REELED OFF LIST OF AREAS WHERE "REVOLUTIONARY PEOPLES HAVE SCORED GAINS"-- VIETNAM "AGAINST AMERICAN AGGRESSORS," CONGO, ARAB WORLD, AFRICA (SPREAD OF INDEPENDENCE). "NATIONAL LIBERATION STRUGGLE IN ASIA, AFRICA, LATIN AMERICA IS ENTERING NEW PERIOD IN WHICH IT WILL GAIN DEPTH AND WIN VICTORY AFTER VICTORY."

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REPORTEDLY BEN BELLA LOOKED MORE AND MORE UNHAPPY AS CHOU WENT ON AND ON. (FACT GUEST SPOKE BEFORE HOST ALSO UNUSUAL AND BEN BELLA MAY NOT HAVE APPRECIATED CHOU'S APPARENT EFFORT FIX TONE OF VISIT IN THIS AGGRESSIVE WAY.) WHEN CHOU HAD FINISHED PRESS AT FIRST ASSUMED BEN BELLA DID NOT INTEND TO REPLY. HOWEVER HE DID MANAGE TO SAY A FEW WORDS OF WELCOME, SAID HE LOOKED FORWARD TO USEFUL CONVERSATIONS, PAUSED TO CONSIDER WHAT HE COULD SAY ABOUT THEM AND FINALLY OBSERVED WORLD CURRENTLY CONFRONTED WITH SERIOUS PROBLEMS AND HE THOUGHT TALKS WOULD STRENGTHEN RANKS OF ALL IMPORTANT VANGUARD FORCES IN WORLD TO CHECK IMPERIALIST ENDEAVORS AND REINFORCE WORLD PEACE.

APS COMMENTARY SAYS BANDUNG II WILL BE FIRST SUBJECT ON AGENDA AND THAT CHICOM AND ALGERIANS "WILL HAVE MANY POINTS IN COMMON." APS SAYS AMONG OTHER SUBJECTS LIKELY BE DISCUSSED WILL BE SPECIFIC PROBLEM AREAS CITED IN CHOU'S SPEECH WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON PREVENTING EXPANSION CONFLICT TO BORDERING AREAS (I.E. SAFE HAVENS).

RE BANDUNG II I SAID TO INDONESIAN AMBASSADOR I WONDERED WHETHER CHOU DID NOT INTEND TO TAKE POSITION THAT EITHER SOVIETS WOULD BE EXCLUDED OR CONFERENCE POSTPONED. INDONESIAN SAID HE HAD HEARD SIMILAR REPORTS AND LOOKED VERY UNHAPPY. SO FAR MEDIA HAVE BEEN SILENT ON PROCEEDINGS BANDUNG II PREPARATORY COMMITTEE WHICH BEGAN MONDAY.

FRENCH SEEM TO BE DOING THEIR BIT TO KEEP POT BOILING. UPI'S PARIS EDITORS TRANSMITTED YESTERDAY THINK PIECE OUT OF MOSCOW SAYING CHICOMS ATTEMPTING SABOTAGE SOVIET ASSISTANCE TO NORTH VIETNAM BY POSING ALL KINDS OF PROCEDURAL OBSTACLES TO OVERLAND SHIPMENT WHILE ACCUSING SOVIETS OF ADOPTING "PASSIVE ATTITUDE" IN FACE AGRESSION AGAINST THIRD WORLD STAGE. SOVIETS SEEKING HOLD THEIR END UP WITH HIGH LEVEL RECEPTION FOR VALENTINA AND NIKOLAYEV TONIGHT.

CFN: 51, 17, 389, 120, 6, 15, CHOU EN LAI, VALENTINA NIKOLAYEV, GP-3

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Reference: Accra's ⁸⁴⁹845 to Department, information Bangui 17.

20-member Chinese Communist Parliamentary delegation arrived Bangui afternoon March 28 via chartered Air Mali Ilyushin from Bamako. Arrival statement by delegation leader Liu Ning Yi consisted of usual references to Afro-Asian solidarity and expressions of undying friendship of Chinese people for central African people. Also included fairly straightforward indication that CAR Parliamentary delegation would be welcome in Peiping at any time.

Delegation welcomed by relatively low-level GOCAR officials in absence virtually entire Government which commemorating 6th anniversary Boganda's death at site of airplane crash. Presumably return of higher level officials late March 29 will enable Chinese Communist delegation make more interesting contacts before departure for Brazzaville scheduled for April 1 with onward destination reportedly Accra.

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CIA LIU HSIN-CHUAN DID NOT VISIT CEYLON. ACCORDING TO
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RMR UPI AND NEW YORK TIMES STORIES DATED FEB 25
REPORTING ARRIVAL IN CEYLON OF "HIGH-LEVEL" CHICOM OFFICIAL
INSPIRED BY RETURN OF AMB HSIEH FROM KARACHI. AS
PART OF ACTION CAMPAIGN HIGHLIGHTING ACTIVITIES OF CHICOMS
IN CEYLON, ANTI-GOVT PRESS REPORTED RETURN OF
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AS IF IT HAD SINISTER IMPLICATIONS. GP 4 LYON
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1. IN KARACHI PRESS INTERVIEW MARCH 29 WITH TURK
CORRESPONDENT TURAN GOKALTAZ OF ANKARA DAILY "ULUS"
CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI DISCLOSED THAT PAKS ACTING AS MED-
IATOR FOR ESTABLISHMENT DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CPR
CFN 1847 122 633 61 113 37 30 2 37 U-231 21 1964 : 29 TURAN
GOKALTAZ "ULUS" CHEN YI CPR

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AND TURKEY. CHEN YI QUOTED AS SAYING "HIS EXCELLENCY PRESIDENT
AYUB AND HE FONMIN BHUTTO HAVE ALREADY OFFERED
THEIR GOOD OFFICE IN THIS MATTER. THIS IS KNOWN TO YOUR
GOVERNMENT AND NOW AN ANSWER IS TO BE EXPECTED FROM YOUR SIDE".
CHEN YI SAID THAT AFTER TURKS EXPELLED DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATION
OF GRC AND EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS TO ESTABLISH FORMAL RELATIONS
WITH CPR AGREEMENT COULD READILY BE REACHED ON FORMAL ESTABLISHMENT
OF RELATIONS. CHEN YI NOTED NO CONFLICT OF INTERESTS BETWEEN
TWO COUNTRIES AND SAID THEY SHOULD LIVE TOGETHER IN AMITY.
"CHINESE GOVT AND PEOPLE ALWAYS RESPECTED INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY
OF TURKEY AND ARE WILLING ESTABLISH NORMAL RELATIONS WITH IT."

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Semi-official AHRAM reports CPR Premier Chou En-lai will visit Cairo in April and in June. Chou will make 24-hour stop Cairo early April en route from Albania back to China. During visit he will meet with Nasser and with UAR Premier Sabri. Chou will visit Cairo again in June en route to June 29 Afro-Asian Conference in Algiers.

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1. All Western Missions have attempted obtain further information re Peng Fei visit without success. His movements kept very secret. Although Fei had interview with Nyerere and visited Zanzibar, his principal contacts have been in Vice President Kawawa's office. To best our knowledge he unaccompanied by any other high CHICOM officials.

2. Shen Han and CHICOM Trade Union (Embassy telegram 2015) who in Dar-es-Salaam for NUTA annual conference only other CHICOM officials of whose presence we aware.

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CH'EN I VISIT

1. ONLY PUBLIC SPEECH BY CHICOM FONMIN CH'EN I DURING TWO DAY
STAY IN KARACHI MARCH 27-28 WAS AT BANQUET GIVEN BY KARACHI
MUNICIPAL CORP MARCH 27. CH'EN I STRESSED SOLIDARITY OF PAK-
CHICOM PEOPLE WHICH "CONSTITUTES IMPORTANT FORCE FOR DEFENSE
OF WORLD PEACE" AND CALLED FOR "CONCERTED EFFORTS" TO FURTHER
DEVELOP AND CONSOLIDATE PAK-CHICOM FRIENDSHIP. HE PRAISED PAK
ROLE IN PROMOTING A-A SOLIDARITY, WORLD PEACE, AND SAID ITS
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INTERNATIONAL STATUS ON RISE. CH'EN I ALSO PRAISED AYUB,
NOTING THAT "WHOLE NATION UNITED UNDER LEADERSHIP OF YOUR GREAT
PRESIDENT, AYUB KHAN." SUCH UNITY, WOULD ENAZOE *PAKS TO DEFEND
NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND DEFEAT ANY AGGRESSION.

2. REMAINDER OF CH'EN I STAY LIGHTLY SCHEDULED WITH MUCH OF
MARCH 28 TAKEN UP WITH PICNIC AT BEACH WITH PAK FONMIN BHUTTO.
CH'EN I LEFT FOR Dacca MARCH 29.

3. COMMENT: PAKS MADE VALIANT EFFORT PRODUCE LARGE WELCOME
FOR CH'EN I IN KARACHI, LINING MAIN ROUTE INTO CITY WITH FLAGS
AND BUNTING, ORGANIZING SCHOOL CHILDREN TO CHEER AND DANCE,
AND BLOCKING OFF TRAFFIC. DESPITE PRESS HEADLINES THAT "CH'EN
I TAKES KARACHI BY STORM", HOWEVER, RECEPTION WAS PALLID AFFAIR
WITH LITTLE INDICATION OF POPULAR INTEREST. MCCONAUGHY
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Rawalpindi - 36

1. Chinese Communist Foreign Minister Chen Yi departed Rawalpindi at 1000 hours March 27 after three day visit to sign boundary protocol and cultural agreement. He was accompanied to Karachi in Chinese-flagged Ilyushin-18 by Foreign Minister Bhutto. Although his reception on March 24 had been prepared with considerable elaboration, little attended his departure. Send-off party headed by Rawalpindi Commissioner included only about 50 people in tent pavillion on airport apron which had 500 seats for guests at welcoming. Although police lined route, there were only scattered civilians, mostly children near airport. Chen Yi held only a brief press conference at the ramp, party enplaned immediately.

2. Arrival reception had been organized with considerable care and included usual school children, embellished for first time with school bands. While press described welcome as "imposing," crowds on route have generally been regarded as mildly interested. GOP techniques for swelling crowds, while simultaneously providing increased security, quite likely included soldiers in white native clothing, since Embassy officers observed about 3 army trucks transporting men in such costume of definite uniformity.

3. First day program after morning arrival included talk with President Ayub followed by lunch at President's house. Press

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variously reported talk as lasting one to one and a half hours, but both PAKISTAN TIMES and vernacular on March 25 headlined South East Asia situation as subject of talk along with matters of mutual interest. Boundary protocol and cultural agreement were that day only sub-headed by PAKISTAN TIMES' Rawalpindi edition.

4. On afternoon of arrival Chen Yi party accompanied by Foreign Minister Bhutto visited Chinese site in diplomatic enclave in new capital area of Islamabad. Embassy officers in area just prior party arrival saw scores of police and noted site marked at corner boundaries with red flags in just beyond US Embassy site area hitherto inaccessible by car, but which very recently provided with new dirt surfaced road.

5. President Ayub, who departed late March 25 for three day stay in Abbottabad, apparently did not attend dinner that evening hosted by Foreign Minister Bhutto at which affirmations of friendship were exchanged in speeches by the two Foreign Minister, but which otherwise not notable. In contrast, at lunch on March 26 hosted by Communications Minister Sabur, both Foreign Ministers in toasts transcended usual exchanges of good will. Whereas statements attending the signing of the boundary protocol and cultural agreement that morning were not remarkable, at Sabur's lunch Chen Yi replied to Sabur's toast by expressing his gratitude to Pakistan for espousing the cause of China in international forums with rare political courage, and further, that he admired Pakistan's "moral courage in presenting China as a peace-loving nation to the western world." (Quotes from PAKISTAN TIMES front page story, which received heightened prominence in vernaculars.) Foreign Minister Bhutto then responded with speech characterized as inspired by Chen Yi's friendly references. Bhutto called upon western powers to recognize reawakening in Asia, said rest of the world should stop maligning Asian leaders, it

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was useless to call China warlike, and (to call) President Ayub, President Nasser, and President Soekarno "adventurers," adding further that Asians fought against each other only when a non-Asian power interfered.

6. Following an afternoon visit to Tazila, Chen Yi was guest at dinner hosted by Finance Minister Shoaib from which little emerged but an invitation to Shoaib to visit China.

7. Comment: Chen Yi's visit excited considerably less public interest in Rawalpindi than Chou En-lai's last year, although GOP preparations seemed almost as elaborate. President Ayub's departure for Abbottabad after first day may well have been calculated to minimize any interpretation of the importance of the visit beyond its purpose in signing the two agreements.

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CHIA CH'EN I VISIT

INR 1. CHECK FORMER CH'EN I TENDERED WARM RECEPTION ON ARRIVAL
CIA IN KARACHI MAR 25. PRES AYUB GAVE LUNCH AND HAD 90 MINUTE
NSA DISCUSSION WITH CH'EN I ON "POLITICAL SITUATION IN SEA."
DOD BOUNDARY AGREEMENT ALSO REVIEWED AND BOTH SIDES EXPRESSED
NIA SATISFACTION WITH IT. FORMER BHUTTO GAVE DINNER FOR CH'EN I
CH'EN I GAVE DINNER MAR 25. COMMUNIST SISTER GIVING LUNCH FOR CH'EN I
MAR 26 AND FORMER SHOAIB ENTERTAINING HIM AT DINNER SAME
DAY.

BOUNDARY PROTOCOL ALSO BEING SIGNED MAR 26.

2. CHICOM DELEG COMPOSED OF 16 MEMBERS INCLUDING VICE-MIN
FOU-TEH HAN NIEN-LUNG; DIR FIRST ASIAN DEPT MFA, CHANG TUNG;
DIR FIRST ASIAN DEPT MFA, MME CHU CHING; DEPT DIVISION
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SECY TO CH'EN I; DEPT DIVISION CHIEF, FIRST ASIAN DEPT MFA
TU CHENG; DEPT DIVISION CHIEF, FIRST ASIAN DEPT MFA, LIAO
WENG; ADC TO CH'EN I, HUNG WENG-CHEN; PHYSICIAN, TSOU CHIN;
PROTOCOL OFF MFA, TANG LUNG-PIN; ENGLISH INTERPRETER, KUO
CHIA-TING; ENGLISH INTERPRETER, MME CHIEH HSIEN; CAMERAMAN,
WENG HSIEN-CHUAN; INTERPRETER, CHENG CHIEH-YING.

3. COMMENT: LONG AYUB-CH'EN I TALK AND PRESS ANNOUNCEMENT
THAT SEA MAIN SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION TEND SUBSTANTIATE EARLIER
REPORTS THAT REAL PURPOSE OF CH'EN I VISIT WAS TO PROVIDE
CHICOM TERM FOR VIETNAM SETTLEMENT TO PAKS FOR ONWARD TRANS-
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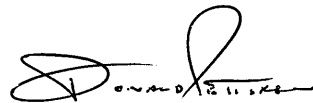
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Chinese Communist Deputy Foreign Minister Chi Peng-fei accompanied by the Chicom Ambassador to Tanzania, Ho Ying, visited Zanzibar March 23. They called on First Vice President Karume, who expressed his gratitude for the help given Zanzibar by Red China. Asked if he wished to visit Communist China, he said that plans for a visit would be made, but that he had other things he must do first. Karume added that President Nyerere had already visited China and therefore, "It is as though the whole of Tanzania has visited China."



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FROM : AMEMBASSY BRAZZAVILLE

DATE: March 26, 1965

SUBJECT: CHICOM: Visitors to Congo-B and Plans to Install NCNA Teletype

REF :

The Congo-B official information bulletin, ACI, on March 17 carried an NCNA item from Peiping announcing the forthcoming visit to the UAR, Guinea, Mali, and Congo-B of a delegation of Chicom journalists. CHE CHAO-HOUA, Vice Director of NCNA, was described as head of the delegation which is making its tour under the terms of the Cultural Agreements (A-231) between Peiping and the African states. On the following day ACI reported a meeting between KAO LIANG, the local NCNA correspondent, and an official of the Secretariat of State for Information at which Kao Liang told the Congolese that his visitors would arrive here on April 29, coming from Mali.

At the same meeting Kao Liang also discussed with the Congolese the installation of an NCNA teletype for use by ACI and the GOGB radio station. Both Congolese media are already served by AFP and Reuters and are already printing and broadcasting a good many NCNA stories, particularly their more vicious anti-American propaganda.

A thirty-eight member Chicom circus and acrobatic group from Nanking arrived in Brazzaville on March 16. This group will remain in Congo-B for two weeks and will give performances at Pointe-Noire as well as Brazzaville. In an ACI report of March 17 the following were listed as leaders of this group: WANG HSIEN-TSONG, chief; Mme. TENG KIE, directress; WANG HONG-JOU, deputy director; and WEI TAO-PEN, secretary general.

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There has been no indication given here concerning the visit of LIU NING-YI who reportedly left Peiping March 8 (Department's Circular Telegram 1645).

For the Chargé d'Affaires, a. i.:

Roy T. Haverkamp
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PC ARRIVING ACCRA APRIL 5. NOT RPT NOT KNOWN FROM WHERE COMING. IF
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37 HONGKONG 28 FM KABUL MARCH 25, 12NOON

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CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI DEPARTING KABUL APPROX 9:00 A.M.
LOCAL MARCH 25' BY SPECIAL CHICOM AIRCRAFT ENROUTE PAKISTAN.
CULTURAL, BORDER DEMARCATION AND LINE OF CREDIT AGREEMENTS
SIGNED LATE AFTERNOON MARCH 24 PRIMIN'S OFFICE.
LINE OF CREDIT CONFIRMED BY KABUL RADIO AS "LONG-TERM INTEREST
-FREE LOAN EQUAL TO 10 MILLION POUNDS STERLING" WITH SPECIFIC
PROJECTS TO BE DETERMINED LATER. BOTH PRIMIN YUSUF AND DEPRIMIN
ZAHAR REPORTED TO HAVE ACCEPTED INVITATIONS
VISIT COMMUNIST CHINA UNSPECIFIED DATES.

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INR CHEN YI NOW PLANS VISIT BURMA AFTER VISITS HERE, PAKISTAN
CIA AND NEPAL ON CURRENT SOUTH ASIAN TOUR.
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HONGKONG 24 SAIGON TWO FROM KABUL MAR 24 - 1 PM

AT DINNER MARCH 22 HONORING CHICOM FORMIN CHEN YI, PRIMIN
YUSUF WELCOMED CHICOMS WITH WILD SPEECH THANKING CHIMCOMS FOR
LONG-TERM CREDIT "WITHOUT STRINGS" AS EXAMPLE COOPERATION
BETWEEN COUNTRIES WITH DIFFERING POLITICAL SYSTEMS. NOTED RGA
CONTINUES SUPPORT AIMS ACCEPTED BANDUNG CONFERENCE AND HOPES
SEE PRINCIPLES REAFFIRMED AT SECOND MTG ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES.
EXPRESSED REGRET CHICOMS LAWFUL RIGHT ADMISSION UN NOT YET
ACCEPTED.
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PAGE 2 RUHNCB 233 UNCLAS
CHEN YI, IN REPLY, COMMENDED RGA FOR "INDEPENDENT POLICY OF
NON-ALIGNMENT AND PEACE". REPRESENTED PREVIOUS AGREEMENTS
AND ONE TO BE SIGNED AS ILLUSTRATIVE DEVELOPMENT FRIENDSHIP
BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES. CLAIMED SINO-AFGHAN COOPERATION
"SHOWS THAT ALL ISSUES BETWEEN ASIAN AND AFRICAN COUNTRIES
CAN BE SATISFACTORILY SETTLED". CONCLUDED BY NOTING "AFGHANISTAN
HAS NEVER FORFEITED ITS INDEPENDENCE AND THE CHINESE PEOPLE
HIGHLY ADMIRE IT FOR HAVING REPEATEDLY REPULSED FOREIGN AGGRESSION".

KABUL TIMES MAR 23 LISTS FOLLOWING AS MEMEBET RPT MEMBERS
CHICOM DELEGATION, IN ADDITION CHEN YI: CHANG TUNG, DIRECTOR
FIRST ASIAN DEP CHICOM FORMIN; AND HAN NIEN LUNG, CHICOM
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ACTION DEPT 1334 INFO KARACHI 171 HONGKONG 25 SAIGON THREE
FM KABUL MARCH 24, NOON
REF EMBTEL 526 (NOT RPTD ADDRESSEES)
FARMADI (FOR OFF) FURNISHED FOLLOWING BRIEF RUN-DOWN
LATE MARCH 23 OF CURRENT TALKS WITH CHICOM FORMIN CHEN YI:
1. DISCUSSIONS RE 25 MILLION ECONOMIC LINE OF CREDIT
CONTINUING BUT WITH SIGNATURE EXPECTED MARCH 24.
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PAGE TWO RUEKOR 275 C O N F I D E N T I A L
2. SOLE OCCASION WHEN CHEN YI MIGHT HAVE DELIVERED
SHARP ATTACK AGAINST "IMPERIALISTS" WAS AT PRIMIN'S DINNER
MARCH 22, BUT OCCASION PASSED OFF QUIETLY. HIS REMARKS WERE
LOW KEYED AND GENERALLY SIMILAR PRIMIN YUSUF'S SPEECH WHICH HAD
BEEN FURNISHED CHICOM IN ADVANCE (SUMMARY TWO SPEECHES
AS CARRIED LOCAL PRESS BEING REPORTED SEPARATELY).
3. IN RESPONSE DCM QUERY, FARMADI SAID CHICOM'S
IN PRIVATE CONVERSATIONS HAD LARGELY "CONFINED THEIR
REMARKS ON VIETNAM TO ONE WELL-KNOWN PROPAGANDA LINE,
APPARENTLY STRESSING THAT THEY HAVE NO REPEAT NO CONTROL OVER
NORTH VIETNAM OR VIET CONG. RE AFGHAN POSITION AS REFLECTED
RECENT BELGRADE MEETING NON-ALIGNED AMBASSADORS,
NAMELY THAT THOSE INVOLVED SHOULD NOT MAKE MATTERS WORSE,
FARMADI INDICATED AFGHANS HAD NOT REPEAT NOT RAISED THIS
WITH CHICOM SINCE "THEY KNOW IT ALREADY".

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Swedish press apparently also ascribing this purpose to meeting. Czech domestic service ~~broadcast~~ broadcast March 19 commented in similar vein.

Scant publicity attending all trips assigns different purpose to each. CHI said to be on "private" visit, while LIU ^{described} ~~described~~ as on inspection trip. While conceivable all three trips may have entirely administrative purpose, evident effort avoid publicizing them, simultaneous occurrence and rumored subject discussions in ~~Stockholm~~ ^{Stockholm} leave open possibility other purposes involved.

Department realizes may be difficult develop additional information, but will appreciate receiving whatever action posts may learn in addition reports already submitted.

FOR DAR: This supplements DEPTTEL 2730 - *pol 7 CHICOM*

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Chi Peng Fei now in Dar (reftel) is one of three CHICOM Vice Foreign Ministers currently traveling abroad. Second was in Stockholm last week and third visiting Pakistan and Afghanistan. In all cases they reported consulting with CHICOM diplomatic missions. Thus far no evidence substantive discussions with Governments.

FYI: Peng Fei arrived Cairo February 15 and remained two weeks. Subsequently visited Algiers and Paris. END FYI.

Department would appreciate info presence Dar any other high level CHICOM official in addition Peng Fei.

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DATE: 23 March 65

FROM : Ambassador KATHMANDU

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Conversation Between the Indian Ambassador and Ambassador Stebbins

REF : A-219 dated March 16, 1965

There is enclosed a memorandum of a conversation which took place between Shri Man NARAYAN and Ambassador STEBBINS on March 17, 1965, at 3:15 P.M. at Ambassador Narayan's residence, concerning the East-West Highway, Chicom exclusion from projects in the Terai, and the visit to CHEN Yi to Kathmandu.

Henry E. Stebbins

Enclosure:

Memorandum of Conversation

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ACTION DEPT (528) INFO KARACHI 168 HONGKONG 23 FROM KABUL MARCH 22-5PM

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SOME TIME AGO EMBASSY RECEIVED REPORT THAT CHICOMS HAD INFORMALLY APPROACHED RGA WITH PROPOSAL ESTABLISH AIR ROUTE KASHGAR - KABUL VIA WAKHAN CORRIDOR. RGA REPORTEDLY COOL THIS SUGGESTION PROBABLY DUE FEELING SOVIETS WOULD OBJECT AS THEY HAVE IN PAST OVER MATTERS AFFECTING THIS SENSITIVE BORDER AREA.

CHICOMS LATER PROPOSED AND AFGHANS HAVE APPARENTLY ACCEPTED IN PRINCIPLE THREE NEW ROUTES FOR CHICOM CARRIER. THEY ARE: (1) PEIPING - ALMA ATA - TASHKENT (OVERFLY) - KABUL; (2) KABUL - RAWALPINDI (OVERFLYING JALALABAD AND PESHAWAR), (3) KABUL - KANDAHAR - KARACHI VIA SIBI.

FIRST TEST FLIGHT TAKING PLACE MARCH 22 ON OCCASION VISIT CHICOM FORMIN CHEN YI AFGHANISTAN. RAWALPINDI ROUTE TO BE TEST FLOWN MARCH 23 AND KARACHI FOLLOWING DAY. THREE SIMILAR TESTS WILL BE FLOWN NEXT WEEK. EQUIPMENT WILL BE IL-18.

DURING TESTS CHICOMS HAVE ASKED AND RGA AGREED ESTABLISH LIAISON ON WEATHER INFO BETWEEN KABUL AND KASHGAR. KASHGAR WILL OPERATE ON 7085 KC BY DAY AND 3185 KC AT NIGHT AND KABUL WILL OPERATE 6975KC BY DAY AND 3370 KC BY NIGHT.

CHICOMS DESIRE TO ESTABLISH KABUL AIR ROUTE OBVIOUSLY DIRECTLY IN PART RELATED TO LOGISTIC PROBLEMS ARISING FROM NEW CHICOM ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE EFFORT WHICH CHICOM FORMIN COMING HERE TO SIGN.

EMBASSY WILL REPORT ADDITIONAL INFO AS AVAILABLE.

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CONFIDENTIAL ACTION DEPT 601 INFO ACCRA 32 BANGUI 64
LEOVILLE 186 PARIS 338 BAKAKO 34 FM BRAZZA MARCH 22, 10 AM

UTA REPRESENTATIVE HAS INFORMED EMBOFF THAT CHICOMS HAVE LEASED
DC-6 FROM UTA FOR APRIL 5 FLIGHT TO ACCRA WITH 50 PASSENGERS
WHO HE UNDERSTANDS WILL BE MAINLY CONGOLESE. FURTHER STATES
THAT SECOND DC-6 LEASED UTA FOR SPECIAL FLIGHT FROM BAKAKO TO
BANGUI WITH 30 PASSENGERS AT LATER DATE. WHILE NOTHING SUR-
PRISING RE CONDITIONS OF FIRST FLIGHT, UTA REP INTRIGUED BY
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INSISTENCE ON WHAT HE CONSIDERS UNUSUAL PRECAUTIONS SECOND FLIGHT.
FOOD PREPARATION TO SUPERVISED PRESUMABLY BY CHICOMS AND
INSPECTED PRIOR LOADING, NO FREIGHT AND REFUSAL INDICATE TYPE
PASSENGERS.

ACCORDING SOURCE, CHICOMS HAVE TOLD HIM THEY WILL USE UTA FOR
ALL NEEDS FROM NOW ON AFTER HAVING LOOKED INTO OTHER AIRLINES.

COMMENT: FIRST FLIGHT APPEARS BE SAME FOR WHICH CHICOMS TRIED
OBTAIN KLM FLIGHT (LEOPOLDVILLE'S 3253 TO DEPT, EMBTEL 590).

IF TRUE THAT UTA WILL HANDLE ALL CHICOM BUSINESS, THIS SHOULD
ENABLE EMBASSIES OBTAIN MORE COMPLETE INFO CHICOM MOVEMENTS IN
THIS PART OF AFRICA.

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1. NATIONALIST published front page photo CHICOM Deputy Foreign Minister Chi Peng Fei who called on Second Vice President Kawawa yesterday. This first public notice Fei's presence Dar-es-Salaam. Actual date arrival was March 16 confirmed by French Ambassador who travelled with him on plane from Paris.

2. NATIONALIST also noted CHICOM trade union delegation headed by Shen Han, member executive committee All China Federation Trade Unions, left Peking for Tanzania. Han will attend LUTA First Annual Conference.

3. Reason Fei visit kept under wraps and purpose his trip not known. However, as sidelight, Canadian military advisors have noted heavy CHICOM traffic in and out Kawawa's office last few days. Although Canadians have no corroborating information, they afraid CHICOMS may be attempting inject selves into training URT Reserve Forces (Embassy telegram 2014).

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NSA BRAZZAVILLE'S 590 TO DEPT

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POSSIBLE CHICOMS WISHED CHARTER PLANE FOR PARTICIPANTS SEMINAR

GHANA YOANG PIONEERS SPONSORING EARLY APRIL FOR AFRICAN YOUTH

LEADERS ON ROLE YOUTH IN CHANGING AFRICAN SOCIETY. PIONEER

OFFICIALS RECENTLY TOLD EMBASSY OFFICERS THEY EXPECT "COUPLE OF HUNDRED" TO PARTICIPATE SEMINAR, WHICH SCHEDULED TO COINCIDE WITH

WFDY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING ACCRA ABOUT APRIL 14.

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DATE: March 18, noon
Reference: Leopoldville's 3253 to Department
Local KLM representative told us yesterday he has informed CHICOMS that KLM has no plane available for early April charter flight. Was still unable identify proposed passengers. At same time he volunteered information that local youth leaders have received from Vienna prepaid tickets for passage from Brazzaville to Accra and are making reservations to depart early in April.

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RADIO NEPAL HAS ANNOUNCED OFFICIAL VISIT CPR FOREIGN MINISTER
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CHOU EN-LAI, CH'EN I VISITS

1. UK HICOM INFORMED EMBOFF MAR 15 UK CHARGE IN PEIPING HAD
REPORTED CFR FOMIN CH'EN I PLANNING SPEND MAR 25-30 IN
PAKISTAN VISITING DACCA, KARACHI, RAWALPINDI. CHOU EN-LAI
ALSO RUMORED PLANNING TRANSIT PAKISTAN AROUND SAME TIME EN
ROUTE TO MIDDLE EAST.

2. COMMENT: REPORT ON DATES OF CH'EN I VISIT MATCH THOSE
GIVEN EMBOFF BY MFA PROTOCOL OFFICER AND INDICATE STRETCH-
OUT OF ORIGINALLY REPORTED MAR 25-27 VISIT.

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54 NEWDELHI

GON FOREIGN SECRETARY CONFIRMED CHEN YI VISIT
KATHMANDU. NO FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT YET MADE SINCE DATES
NOT DEFINITE. FONSEC STATES NO SPECIAL PURPOSE OF VISIT.
SPECIFICALLY DENIED ANY CONNECTION WITH GOI OFFER DISPLACE
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THEY (CPR) ARE OUT. GP-3 STEBBINS

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TO : DEPARTMENT OF STATE

INFO : MOSCOW KATMANDU HONG KONG

FROM : Amembassy KABUL

DATE: March 9, 1965

SUBJECT : Chicom Foreign Minister Expected to Visit Afghanistan

REF : Embtel 478, March 3, 1965

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The RGA Foreign Ministry's Director General of Political Affairs, Dr. Rawan Farhadi, confirmed to Embassy officers March 6 that Chicom Foreign Minister Chen Yi is slated to arrive in Kabul shortly, later specifying the exact date as March 22nd and adding that the Chicom would also be visiting Katmandu on his forthcoming tour. Farhadi said that the purpose of Chen Yi's visit here would be to sign the formal protocol for the Afghan-Chicom border demarcation agreement.

While Farhadi had first indicated that he did not expect the Chicom official to take up the question of Chicom aid offers to Afghanistan stemming from the King's state visit to Peiping last year, he later told the DCM that initial discussions of the aid offer (stated by him to amount to \$30 million) would start in Kabul next week with the Chicom ambassador representing his government. The RGA representation had not yet been determined. Farhadi also noted that no firm decisions as to the areas in which Chicom aid would be concentrated had been reached, but mentioned sericulture as a possibility, adding that the RGA would be slow to accept a large number of Chicom technicians.

Meanwhile, the Afghan press and radio has reported the departure from Kabul of Chicom Deputy Foreign Minister Liu Hsiu-Ch'uan (Embtel 467 and Deptel 233) enroute to Peiping March 4th. The Chicom official, in a

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brief departure statement at Kabul International Airport, said that he was happy to be carrying to "the people of China the good wishes of the people of Afghanistan", and noted his pleasure in having had meetings with the chairman of the Afghan-Chicom friendship association, Deputy Prime Minister Zaher, as well as other unstated Afghan officials.

Comment: While Farhadi made no mention of it, the Embassy notes that Chen Yi's visit here will be shortly before the projected trip of RGA Prime Minister Yusuf to Moscow (Embtel 435). Apart from any heightened interest in Afghanistan that the Chicom may have, Chen Yi may well seek opportunity in March to expound for the benefit of the RGA on the Chicom view of their continuing polemic with the Soviets.

For the Ambassador:

Howard J. Ashford, Jr.
Howard J. Ashford, Jr.
Counselor of Embassy
for Political Affairs

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Colombo, Ceylon,
March 9, 1965.

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Dear Don:

Your query of March 4 about the illusive Mr. Liu has just reached me and I will try to get a quick answer in the pouch that is about to close.

According to all information we have, Mr. Liu and his party never did come to Ceylon. They apparently got as far as Karachi and then decided not to proceed here. The press items reporting the arrival of a high level Chinese Communist in Ceylon on February 25 were inspired by the return of the Chinese Ambassador to Ceylon and the arrival of two Chinese Communist couriers who traveled in the same plane. The anti-coalition press here did its best to read some sinister significance into these arrivals and, in fact, one newspaper splashed a picture of the Ambassador across its front page.

The Chinese Ambassador's plane arrived from Karachi and it is entirely possible that he had contact there with Mr. Liu.

Sincerely yours,

Pol 7 CHICOM

W. L. Gamon

David L. Gamon
First Secretary of Embassy

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Donald E. Rau, Esquire,
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NEWDELHI 54 RAWALPINDI 31 KARACHI 162 CINCEAFSA UNN FROM
KABUL MARCH 9-4PM

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AS REPORTED EMB A-313, CHICOM FOMIN CHEN YI ARRIVING
KABUL MARCH 22 TO SIGN FORMAL PROTOCOL FOR AFGHAN
CHICOM BORDER DEMARCATION AGREEMENT. FOMIN STATES CHEN
YI ALSO TO VISIT KATHMANDU. INITIAL DISCUSSIONS \$30 MIL
CHICOM AID OFFER SLATED BEGIN NEXT WEEK WITH CHICOM
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COMMENT: WITH CHEN YI VISIT KABUL PRECEDING PRIM IN
YUSUF'S VISIT MOSCOW (EMBTel 435), CHICOM LIKELY EXPOUND
PEIPING VIEW POLEMIC WITH SOVIETS AND PRESS FOR RGA
ACCEPTANCE CHICOM AID TENDER.

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NCNA reported March 8 that Liu Ning-yi, Vice Chairman of ~~the~~ National People's Congress Standing Committee, left Peiping by air same date for ~~a~~ visit to several African countries, including Guinea, Mali, CAR and Congo (B).

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Chen Yi Trip

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APK press March 8 carries Hangchow datelined report that Chinese Communist Foreign Minister Chen Yi planning come to Rawalpindi March 25 - 27 for signing of final protocol of Sina - Pakistan boundary agreement. Press report March 7 said Chen Yi also to "touch Karachi" in en route to Algiers Asian - African Conference.

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KARACHI 158 NEW DELHI 51 FROM KABUL THIRD

DURING DINNER AT RESIDENCE MARCH 2 IN HONOR GOVERNOR HARRIMAN
WHICH ATTENDED BY PRIMIN AND SIX MEMBERS CABINET, PRIMIN TOLD
US AFGHANS EXPECTING CHICOM FORMIN CHEN YI VISIT KABUL.
WHILE HE DID NOT RPT NOT REVEAL DATE, INDICATION WAS THAT
VISIT MIGHT TAKE PLACE RELATIVELY SOON.

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COMMENT: CHEN YI, WHO HAS VISITED KABUL BEFORE, MAY BE COMING
IN PART AS FOLLOW UP KING ZAHER'S STATE VISIT PEIPING LAST
FALL (EMBTel 288). REPORTS AT THAT TIME CHICOM OFFERS
SUBSTANTIAL ECON AND TECHNICAL AID HAVE NOT RPT NOT YET
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Liu Hsin-Ch'uan (telecode 0491/2450/2938) first identified 29 April 1960 when appointed Assistant to Minister Foreign Affairs. On April 25, 1964 he promoted to Vice Minister. Liu identified extremely rarely in Peiping media; has appeared at several receptions for foreign visitors, but with no pattern which would indicate special area of competence. Liu made secretive visit Colombo about February 25 also for "inspection" Chicom Embassy.

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NEW DELHI FOR GOVERNOR WARRIMAN

EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED REPORT CHICOM DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER
ARRIVED HERE UNANNOUNCED FEBRUARY 27 VIA PIA FROM KARACHI FOR
FOUR-FIVE DAY VISIT. APPRECIATE ANY INFO RE IDENTITY INDIVIDUAL
AND PURPOSE VISIT WHICH AVAILABLE KARACHI. STEEVES

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FROM : Ambassador TOKYO

DATE: February 24, 1965

SUBJECT: Japanese Information Concerning Afro-Asian Conference and
Other Topics

REF :

At a recent meeting of Foreign Office officials and Embassy officers for the purpose of exchanging information concerning Communist activities, the Japanese provided us with a number of short papers providing information relating to the forthcoming A-A Conference at Algiers. These reports are summarized below:

1. During his visit with General Ne Win December 3-6, 1964, Chen Yi strongly opposed Soviet participation in the Conference, attacked Soviet revisionism, said he did not believe that the Soviet position on the Sino-Soviet dispute had altered since Khrushchev's resignation and said he believed the dispute would continue for some time.

2. Indian Prime Minister SHASTRI told the Japanese Ambassador in December 1964 that India favored Soviet presence at the A-A Conference but would not push its views strongly if there was general opposition to its position. He said India did not intend to call for postponement of the Conference. During the conversation, Shastri also noted that it is important to provide security to those countries threatened by nuclear weapons, that the strengthening of India's defenses had no relation to the war in Indo-China which should be settled by a conference, and that there is no change in India's policy toward China or Chinese representation in the U.N. He added that the Chinese Communists were not involved in the political change in Bhutan and he did not expect a Chinese Communist advance from that direction.

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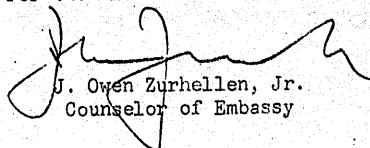
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3. In January 1965 the Vice Premier of the UAR told the Japanese Ambassador that although Indonesia objected to Malaysia's participation in the A-A Conference, it would not be difficult for Malaysia to attend since Indonesia was not the only country having a voice in the matter. He said SHELEPIN, CPSU Central Committee member, asked the UAR to support Soviet attendance at the A-A Conference. The UAR Vice Premier said that this would be a big problem; Soviet attendance would create difficulties between the UAR and Peiping and, therefore, the question should be examined carefully.

4. The Chinese Communist Ambassador in Cairo told the Japanese Ambassador in January 1965 that Communist China would send a large delegation to Algiers but that CHOU En-lai does not plan to take a leading role. (A translation of this report is enclosed).

For the Ambassador:


J. Owen Zurhellen, Jr.
Counselor of Embassy

Enclosure: *all 70 70*

Private Conversation with a High Official of Communist China
Pertaining to the Second A-A Conference

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Semi-official AHRAM reports UAR Foreign Minister Riyadh received
CHICOM Deputy Foreign Minister Chi Kang, February 18.

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Appreciate information contained reftel regarding arrival ChiCom delegation. Assume you will keep Department informed any further significant developments. Suggest you alert other appropriate posts, should you learn that delegation intends travel beyond Cairo.

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RE EMDTEL 534.

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YESTERDAY WHEN I ASKED GLANVILLE PEIRIS, DIRECTOR GENERAL
MEA, IF THERE WAS ANYTHING HE COULD TELL ME OF FORTHCOMING
VISIT OF DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER LIU HSIN-CHUEN, HE MERELY
SAID THAT HSIN-CHUEN AND TWO OTHERS SAID THEY WERE COMING
HERE TO INSPECT COMMUNIST CHINESE EMBASSY. HE ADDED THAT
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HE WONDERED WHY THEY HAD CHOSEN THIS PARTICULAR MOMENT FOR
THEIR VISIT.

MR. PEIRIS ALSO CONCURRED WITH MY STATEMENTS THAT VICE
MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS SEEMED RATHER HIGH RANK FOR
INSPECTOR AND THAT COMMUNIST CHINESE BY SUCH ACTS AS THIS AND
ACTIVITIES THEY WERE CARRYING ON HERE WERE DOING THEMSELVES
HARM IN CEYLON.

PEIRIS IS OBVIOUSLY UNHAPPY AT PROSPECT OF VISIT AND THOUGH
HE DID NOT SAY SO I WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED IF HE WERE TRYING
TO DO WHAT HE COULD TO WARD IT OFF. LYON
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CAIRO PRESS REPORTS CHICOM DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER CHI KANG
ARRIVED CAIRO FEBRUARY 15 AT HEAD 11-MAN DELEGATION FOR THREE-
DAY OFFICIAL VISIT. DELEGATION INCLUDES FONOFF DIRECTOR OF
WEST ASIA SECTION, DIRECTOR OF NORTH AFRICA SECTION, AND DEPUTY
DIRECTOR OF AFRICA SECTION. PRESS REPORTS CONFLICT AS TO
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Following information on LIU Hsin-ch'uan (telecode numbers 0491/2450/2938) may be passed to Ministry External Affairs (no further bio data available):

Liu first identified 29 April 1960 when appointed Assistant to Minister Foreign Affairs. On 25 April 1964, he promoted to Vice Minister. Liu identified extremely rarely in Peiping media; has appeared at several receptions for foreign visitors, but with no pattern which would indicate special area of competence.

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USIA February 13 NEWS and MIRROR carried front page items stating
NSC team of Chinese Communist officials headed by man identified
INR respectively as Minister and Deputy Foreign Minister would
CIA visit Ceylon shortly.
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DOD Counsellor, Ministry of External Affairs confirmed four-man
NIC Chinese Communist group led by Vice Foreign Minister Liu
RMR Hsin-Chuen expected during next week. Duration of stay not
known. MEA told by Chinese Communist Embassy that purpose
of visit to inspect Embassy.

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Counsellor said MEA would appreciate any information on Liu we could provide. Request Department cable any pertinent background information that can usefully be given to Ministry.

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According four Soviet Embassy officials who usually well-informed about CHICOM activities in Yemen, Chou En-Lai not scheduled visit Yemen this spring. Discreet probes with YAR officials also failed develop any indication forthcoming Chou visit.

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Soviets acknowledged YAR President Sallal extended open invitation to Chou, but they believe latter will not visit Yemen on this NE-African tour, which they expect him to make.

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DATE: January 15, 1965

SUBJECT: Chinese Communist "Peace Delegation" in Italy and the
Italian-Chinese Trade Office Agreement

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SUMMARY

The most important result of the visit to Italy from November 18 through December 1 of the Chinese Communist "Peace" Delegation was the signing of an agreement providing for the opening of reciprocal trade offices in Rome and Peiping (Embels 1490 and 1492). Also of importance were the talks the Chinese held with leaders of the Communist-front Italian Peace Committee (IPC), which produced a hard-boiled joint communique that appeared to indicate a high degree of strength or persuasiveness on the part of the Chinese (see Enclosure 1). During its active schedule in Italy, the delegation also conferred with Italian Communist Party (PCI) leaders. Despite the slight general interest shown by the democratic Italian press, the Chinese had no trouble finding forums to express their views on subjects such as the major threat to world peace (the United States), the source of the pressure which is inhibiting the amelioration of Italian-Chinese relations (the United States), and the source of error in the international Communist movement (Communist Party of the Soviet Union).

Enclosures:

1. Translation of final press release on the talks between the two peace delegations, Italian and Chinese.
2. Translation of an interview with Liao Chen Chih, leader of the Chinese Delegation in Italy.

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The visit was profitable for the Chinese both in terms of China's search for wider relations and acceptance by certain Western countries, and, to a lesser degree, in terms of its struggle with the Russians for influence and position in the Communist world.

Itinerary

On November 18, the seven-member Chinese Communist "Peace" delegation arrived in Rome from Paris on the invitation of the Italian Peace Committee (Embtel 1398). The delegation was composed of the following:

- Liao Cheng Chih - Vice President of the Chinese Committee for Peace;
Deputy in the Chinese (Communist) National Assembly;
- Chao Yi Min - Member of Advisory Conference of Chinese People; Head of the Chinese delegation to the 1962 Italian Communist Party Congress in Rome; and (according to right-wing journal Il Tempo) the true head of the delegation;
- Lei Jen Min - Vice President of Chinese Committee for the Development of International Trade;
- Peng Ti - Secretary of the Delegation; Editor of New China;
- Hsu Tao - Medical Doctor;
- Chi Tsung Hua - Female Interpreter;
- We Ke Liang - Female Interpreter.

The group was met at the airport by PCI Senator Luciano Mancaraglia and Ubaldo Moronsi, Secretaries of the IPC, Ina Sansone of Centro Cina, a well known PCI front organization which is trying to promote "cultural relations" with Communist China, and a group of Chinese university students living in Rome.

Il Tempo reported on November 18 (as did the remainder of the non-Communist press on the following day) that Mancaraglia and Franco Calamandrei, of the PCI Central Committee, had flown to Paris on November 12 to try to persuade the Chinese to postpone their trip to Rome until after the November 22 administrative elections, knowing that the right and center parties would attempt to make political use of the Chinese presence. Il Tempo added that the two PCI emissaries were able to obtain only a six-day delay from the Chinese. (CAS has an unconfirmed report which states that the PCI secretariat had initiated an inquiry to identify the source of the Il Tempo article.)

At the airport, Mancaraglia told the press that the delegation was in Italy to confer with the Italian Peace Committee leadership on "international

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While making courtesy visits to my diplomatic colleagues last month following return from home leave, I was told by Liberian Ambassador that FONMIN Balla had told him CHICOM Mission which visited Yaounde September, 1964, was received at French request. Later, when I asked French Ambassador Benard to comment on this report which I had had from a diplomatic colleague, Benard replied with heat that story was false. He added "I know the report is current, however, because I heard the same story from both the Chinese and Russian Ambassadors".

Benard went on to say that only demarche he has ever made on CHICOM subject was explanation French recognition made immediately following its announcement and expressed in following terms: "For reasons having nothing to do with Africa, France has decided to recognize Communist China. France does not, however, believe that its decision should influence the position of African countries on way or the other". Benard says specifically he had nothing to do with arranging CHICOM Yaounde visit. On other hand, Benard acknowledged that French pressure to receive CHICOMs might have been applied at some higher level.

Whether France has exercised overt pressure or not, force of French example gives continuous and evident support to

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those elements in this country who believe Cameroon should change its China policy, and adds to Ahidjo's difficulty in maintaining relations with Taipei, as I believe he personally would prefer to do. From well-placed French source (Barjeron, UNESCO technician assigned to Cameroon Information Service). I have heard that sensitivity about French attitude will prevent Ahidjo from voting against UN admission CHICOMS this session, although his own personal conviction will prevent him from voting for their admission. Barjeron, who is an old China hand, has also predicted that GRC Ambassador S. Y. Woo has celebrated his last Double-Ten Day in Yaounde.

The French example operates in much same way on Congo question. Therefore I believe that US should recognize that, given his almost total dependence on French aid (which still amounts to at least \$40 million a year), Ahidjo, in standing as firm as he does on CHICOM and Congo questions, is showing very considerable independence and courage, even though he does not speak out very strongly in public.

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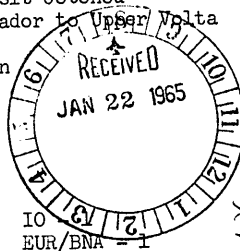
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Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: January 8, 1965

SUBJECT: 1. Suggestion that GRC Vice Minister Yang Visit Cotonou
2. Recommendation that GRC Appoint an Ambassador to Upper Volta
3. GRC UN Arrears
4. Irish Initiative on Chinese Representation

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Johnson Cheng, Counselor, Chinese Embassy
Mr. Norman W. Getsinger, EA/ROC



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Chinese Counselor, Johnson Cheng, was asked to come to the Department to discuss a number of topics.

1. Suggestion that GRC Vice Minister Yang Visit Cotonou

Mr. Cheng was told that Ambassador Knox in Cotonou has recommended that Vice Minister Yang stop by Cotonou on his way back to Taipei from New York (Cotonou's 165). The Ambassador had suggested that the Vice Minister's visit would help to strengthen Prime Minister Ahomadegbe's determination to retain relations with the GRC, and would be effective in obtaining GRC acceptance of the US\$4 million economic assistance program which Yang had originally offered during his previous visit in December. Mr. Cheng was also told that the Chinese Communist Charge, who had already been in Cotonou three weeks, had given no indication of leaving despite the continued presence of the GRC Charge. It was suggested to Mr. Cheng that GRC acceptance of the GRC aid offer might result in the withdrawal of Peiping's representative.

2. Recommendation that the GRC Appoint an Ambassador to Upper Volta

Mr. Cheng was told our Embassy in Ouagadougou has learned that President Yameogo has written President Chiang Kai-shek suggesting that the GRC diplomatic representation in Upper Volta be raised to ambassadorial level (Ouagadougou's 265). Our Ambassador had added the information that the GRC Charge was highly respected by the U.S. Embassy and appeared to enjoy the confidence of Upper Volta officials, including the President.

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Mr. Cheng was told that he was given the information on Dahomey and Upper Volta with the thought that he might wish to relay it to Vice Minister Yang in New York where he was in contact with the Foreign Minister.

3. GRC UN Arrears

The Embassy Counselor was asked if he had anything further to report on the possibility of the GRC paying its arrears in the UN. He replied that he did not, although GRC Ambassador to the UN had been much impressed by Mr. Sisco's strong presentation urging payment and his assurance of an unyielding U.S. position on Article 19 (Deptel 641 to Taipei). This had been discussed with the Foreign Minister in New York and communicated to Taipei for the Government's immediate attention. Mr. Cheng was told that we have learned that the Taipei press was carrying an AP story which cites the GRC along with the USSR and France as the major UN nations in arrears (Taipei's 586). He was further advised that not only does the GRC's failure to make the required payment weaken our argument abroad that the GRC is consistently loyal to its UN obligations, but the GRC indebtedness was the object of considerable unfavorable notice in USG circles and was bound to attract increasing public attention. It was suggested that when the GRC does decide to make payment this fact should be handled in such a way that the GRC can obtain favorable publicity to offset whatever harm has been done.

4. Irish Initiative on Chinese Representation

Counselor Cheng was told we have learned that Foreign Minister Aiken is unlikely to push any of the proposals on Chinese representation which he had mentioned in his speech before the General Assembly on December 8 (Dublin's 244).

Mr. Cheng expressed gratitude for the information he had received. He subsequently called to say that information on all four subjects had been passed to the GRC UN delegation in New York, and would be brought to the attention of Foreign Minister Shen and Vice Minister Yang.

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VALUATION 3. THIS MESSAGE IN 4 PARTS. PART I. AS WITH CHOU
VISIT JULY, THIS WAS VIRTUAL SELF INVITATION WITH CHICOM EMBASSY
PROVIDING USUAL BELATED INDICATIONS OF VISIT. NE WIN AS BEFORE
GROUSED TO COUNCIL COHORTS ABOUT MEETING CHINESE, INSTRUCTED

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PROTOCOL HEAVY PROGRAM NOT ONLY TO PRESENT PICTURE OF FRIENDLY
GOODWILL VISIT BUT ALSO LITTLE OPPORTUNITY AS POSSIBLE FOR
PRIVATE DISCUSSIONS. NE WIN GO OFF LIGHTLY WITH ONLY TWO
PRIVATE SESSIONS. PART II. BSPP FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
MEMBERS SAN YU, TIN PE, THAN SEIN, HLA HAN AND ACTING FANMIN
MAUNG LWIN WERE VARIOUSLY PRESENT MOST OF THE TIME. SUBJECTS
COVERED WERE MOSTLY INITIATED BY CHINESE. THEY WERE CHINA'S
NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT PROPOSALS, VIETNAM, INDONESIAN-MALAYSIAN
CONFRONTATION, US-BELGIAN INTERVENTION IN CONGO. CHINESE
COMMENTS ON THESE SUBJECTS WERE NOTHING NEW, GENERALLY FOLLOWED
PATTERN DAILY BROADCASTS AND BROADSIDES FROM PEKING, E.G., U.S.
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TO USSR, CHINA IMMEDIATELY READY TO HELP VIETNAMESE LIBERATION STRUGGLE IN CASE OF U.S. WAR ESCALATION INTO DRV, ETC. PERTINENT POINTS HOWEVER WERE (A) WOULD IT NOT BE TO BURMA'S QUOTE POLITICAL PRESTIGE UNQUOTE TO OPENLY SUPPORT NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT AND OPENLY CONDEMN IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION IN RVN, IMPERIALIST THREAT TO INDONESIA, COLONIALIST INTERVENTION IN CONGO, ETC. (B) CHINA ASSUMED BURMA IS PREPARED FOR EVENTUALITIES AT BURMA BORDERS WITH LAOS AND NORTHERN THAILAND IN EVENT U.S. IMPERIALISTS

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EXTENDED MILITARY MOVEMENTS FOR VIETNAM WAR INTO AREAS CLOSER TO BURMA, INCLUDING AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS AND (C) CHINESE FEEL ANXIOUS THAT INDONESIA MIGHT THINK BURMA POLITICALLY INDIFFERENT BY VIRTUE ITS SILENCE REGARDING MALAYSIA ISSUE. CHEN YI ALSO EXPRESSED CURIOSITY ABOUT INSIDE STORY OF SHASTRI LONDON TALKS, ASSUMED BURMESE KNOWLEDGEABLE BY VIRTUE OF RGUB'S CLOSE INTEREST AND CONCERN OVER INDIA-CHINA DISPUTE. MAKING REFERENCE TO INDIRA GANDHI'S FORTHCOMING VISIT, BURMESE SAID THEY FELIEVED INDIRA OUT OF POLITICAL EXPEDIENCY WOULD PRIVATELY REVEAL SOME OF MORE PERTINENT PORTIONS OF SHASTRI'S LIAISON WITH LONDON, BURMESE WOULD PASS THESE ON TO CHINESE IN INTERESTS OF SINO-INDIAN-BURMESE AMITY. OTHER SUBJECT BROUGHT UP BY CHINESE WAS BURMA'S RICE EXPORT SALES. DEPENDING ON HOW RICE EXPORTS FARED IN REMAINING SIX TO EIGHT WEEKS GOOD SALES PERIOD, CHINA PREPARED TO HELP. BROAD MENTION MADE ABOUT PAYMENT IN STERLING THOUGH NO PRECISE PROMISE ON THIS POINT. PART III. WHEN CHEN YI CONGRATUALTED BURMA'S SOCIALIST RECONSTRUCTION AND REVOLUTIONARY PROGRESS AND CONCLUDED HIS BLESSINGS WITH HOPE THAT INTERNAL PEACE (REFERRED TO AS INTERNAL PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ON PREVIOUS OCCASIONS) WOULD SOON COME, BURMESE PROMPTLY MADE DELICATE

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MENTION OF CPB (WF) TRAFFIC WITH CHINA. BURMESE STATED THAT PRESUMABLY CPB (WF) LEADERS WERE NOT BEING ACCORDED POLITICAL SANCTUARY AND IDEOLOGICAL TRAINING IN CHINA IN MANNER PREVAILING BEFORE. PROBLEM STILL REMAINED OF THEIR MOVEMENTS IN AND OUT OF CHINESE BORDER AREAS. CHEN YI REPLIED HE HAD HEARD OF NO NOTE-WORTHY TRAFFIC OF ODD INDIVIDUALS BUT NEVERTHELESS PROMISED TO LOOK INTO MATTER IN ORDER PREVENT ANY LIAISONS WHICH MIGHT BE DETRIMENTAL TO SINO-BURMESE FIRENDSHIP. ALTHOUGH HIS REPLY NEBULOUS, NE WIN WAS SATISFIED THAT AT LEAST PROBLEM HAD BEEN OPENLY MENTIONED DIRECTLY TO TOP CHICOM OFFICIAL. PART IV. WITHIN TWO DAYS OF CHEN YI DEPARTURE, NE WIN SUMMONED PRO-SOVIET EDITOR THEIN PE MYINT OF BOTATAUNG AND POPULAR FEATURE

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WRITER ZAWANA OF MIRROR, BOTH BURMESE DAILY NEWSPAPERS. HE WIN
GAVE THEM CONFIDENTIAL BUT GENERAL ACCOUNT OF SING-BURMESE TALKS.
HIS PURPOSE TO HAVE BOTH THESE WIDELY READ JOURNALISTS WRITE
ARTICLES BRINGING OUT THEM THAT ALTHOUGH BURMA SMALL IT IS
(A) TRULY NONALIGNED (B) DOES NOT LIKE BEING PRESSURED OR
PUSHED EVEN GENTLY (C) IS PREOCCUPIED AT THIS STAGE WITH
INTERNAL NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION, PURSUING INDEPENDENT SOCIALIST
LINE, (D) DISLIKES ECHOING OTHERS SLOGANS OR INDULGING IN NAME

PAGE 5 RUMJRV 102D S E C R E T
CALLING IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICS, CITING AS EXAMPLE BURMESE
POSITION AT CAIRO CONFERENCE RE ARAB RESOLUTION ON ISRAEL, (E)
ALWAYS PREFERS UN FORUMS TO AIR ITS VIEWS, AND (F) REMAINS AS
AGGRESSOR AGAINST BURMA ANYBODY REPEAT ANYBODY WHO VIOLATES
BURMESE NATIONAL TERRITORY. THIS REPORT HAS BEEN COORDINATED
WITH EMBASSY
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RE CHEN YI VISIT, UK EMBASSY HAS TOLD US, PARTLY ON

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BASIS INFO FROM SOURCE THEY DID NOT DISCLOSE AND PARTLY ON

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BASIS THEIR OWN SPECULATION, THAT:

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1) VISIT WAS NOT PARTICULARLY SUCCESSFUL OR HAPPY.

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CHICOM AMBASSADOR APPARENTLY MUCH RELIEVED WHEN IT ENDED.

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PAGE 2 RUMJRV 54A C O N F I D E N T I A L

(FACT THERE HAS BEEN NO COMMUNIQUE, SUBSTANTIVE PRESS RELEASE,

OR SUBSTANTIVE COMMENT PRO-PEIPING PRESS TENDS CONFIRM THIS

JUDGMENT.)

2) NE WIN RESPONDED NEGATIVELY TO CHEN YI PROPOSAL

THAT RGUE EMBRACE BURMESE DISSIDENTS, NOTABLY COMMUNISTS

IN THIS CONNECTION CHICOM BROADCAST OF WHITE FLAG COMMUNIST

CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE (EMBTEL 216 NOTAL) WAS APPARENTLY NOT

RAISED (THOUGH PRESS SOURCES CLAIM NE WIN W

P BRIEFED ON

THIS SUBJECT AND BELIEVE HE RAISED IT.).

3) NE WIN ALSO REPORTEDLY ANNOYED BY RECEIVING ONLY

ONE HOUR'S NOTICE OF ARRIVAL OF CHEN YI'S AIRCRAFT.

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4) CHEN YI INVITED HIMSELF. (RGUB SAVED FACE BY ANNOUNCING IT HAD INVITED HIM, BUT PERMITTED THEIN PE MYINT IN ARTICLE MENTIONED BELOW TO SAY THAT BOTH CHEN YI AND CHOU EN-LAI (IN JULY) HAS INVITED THEMSELVES.)

5) CHEN YI CERTAINLY REITERATED CHICOM INVITATION NE WIN VISIT CHINA.

DEC 9 ARTICLE BY THEIN PE MYINT IN GOVT-OWNED BOTATAUNG MAY ALSO BE OF SOME SIGNIFICANCE, FOR CONTENT HIS ARTICLES IS SUBJECT TO CAREFUL POLICY REVIEW. HE LINKED CHEN YI VISIT CFN NO 2) 216 3 4 5 9

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WITH FORTHCOMING VISIT INDIRA GANDHI (AS INVITED GUEST NE WIN) AND REMINDED HIS READERS THAT OTHER COUNTRIES TRY TO DRAG BURMA INTO THEIR AFFAIRS. HE SUGGESTED THAT CHEN YI ATTEMPTED ENLIST BURM'S SUPPORT IN SINO-INDIAN DISPUTES BAER BOUNDARIES AND OVER INVITING USSR TO AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE, AND ASSUMED MRS. GANDHI WILL DO LIKEWISE.
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 INFO : BAGHDAD, CAIRO, HONG KONG, KHARTOUM, TAIPEI, TAIZ
 FROM : Amembassy, DAMASCUS DATE: December 10, 1964
 SUBJECT : Possible Chou en-LAI Visit to Syria
 REF : Embassy's A-321, April 16, 1964
 Embtel 760, May 5, 1964
 Deptel 295 to Damascus

The rumor of a possible visit to Syria by Chicom Prime Minister Chou en-Lai during the course of a trip to Near East and African countries has arisen on three occasions since last April. The most recent instance was November 18 when the government-controlled radio broadcasted a routine news item as follows: "According to eastern European sources, Chou en-Lai will visit Syria and Yemen during a trip to certain Near East and African countries."

Subsequently, we have queried various sources in the Foreign Ministry on the subject, and in each case so far the official has told us that he had no knowledge of such a visit. (Similar approaches to diplomatic colleagues who have some contact with the Chicoms have also been non-productive.) The Deputy Director of Protocol stated that the Protocol Section has been instructed to begin planning for state visits to Syria in the next few months by Tunisian President Bourguiba (March 5) and by dowager Queen Zain of Jordan (sic), but the Section has received no instructions regarding Chou en-Lai.

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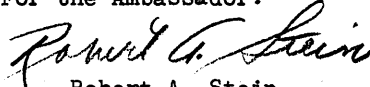
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From Damascus

However, these officials have the view that a visit by the Chicom Prime Minister is possible and, they believe, probable if he expresses a wish to come here.

The Department will recall (Embtel 760) that on May 2 the Syrian radio quoted "diplomatic sources in Peking" as announcing that Chou en-Lai would soon visit Syria and other Near East and African countries. The Embassy's A-321 reported that we found no substance to a Newsweek item of last April suggesting that a visit by Chou was forthcoming.

For the Ambassador:



Robert A. Stein
First Secretary of Embassy

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CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI LEFT FOR PEIPING DEC 6 FOLLOWING
THREE-DAY VISIT RANGOON. HE LUNCED WITH ACTING FONMIN COL
MAUNG LWIN AND FOR AFFAIRS COMMITTEE DEC 4, DINED WITH
NE WIN DEC 5 AND MADE USUAL CEREMONIAL VISITS TO MARTYRS
MAUSOLEUM AND SHWEDAGON PAGODA. THERE WAS NO DEPARTURE STATE-
MENT AND NO COMMUNIQUE.

USUALLY RELIABLE SOURCE WITHIN RGUB TOLD AMBASSADOR CHEN
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PAGE 2. RUMJRV 36A CONFIDENTIAL
YI HAD FOLLOWING TWO PURPOSES:

1) TO EXPRESS CONCERN OVER PROSPECT US WILL BROADEN
WAR IN VIETNAM IN DRAMATIC MANNER AND IN THAT EVENT TO ENLIST
ACTIVE RGUB EFFORT IN CONCERT WITH INDONESIA AND CEYLON TO
AROUSE WORLD OPINION AGAINST US. SOURCE COMMENTED THAT NE WIN
WOULD PROBABLY JOIN OTHER LEADERS IN GENERAL EXPRESSIONS OF
CONCERN IN EVENT US ESCALATED CONFLICT, BUT DID NOT THINK NE
WIN WOULD SPECIFICALLY CONDEMN US OR TAKE LEAD IN ANY WAY.

2) TO SEEK BURMA'S SUPPORT FOR NEW CHICOM DISARMAMENT
INITIATIVE. CHEN YI SAID CHICOMS "FROM THEIR NEW POSITION
OF STRENGTH" WISHED TO TAKE LEAD BY PRESENTING NEW "PRACTICAL"
PROPOSALS ABOLISH NUCLEAR WEAPONS. SOURCE SAID NE WIN
SHOWED NO INTEREST THIS THIS SUBJECT.

SOURCE ACKNOWLEDGED HE WAS FAMILIAR ONLY WITH BROAD
OUTLINES DISCUSSIONS WITH CHEN YI AND KNEW NO DETAILS. WE
ARE SEEKING FURTHER INFORMATION.

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PRESS REPORTS CHOU EN-LAI WILL VISIT BAGHDAD MARCH.
FOREIGN MINISTRY SOURCE CONFIRMED THAT HE WILL VIST EARLY
1965 BUT EXACT DATE NOT YET SET.

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AUTHORITATIVE CAIRO NEWSPAPER AL AHRAH TODAY REPORTS
CHOU EN LAI WILL VISIT CAIRO MARCH FOR GENERA TALKS AND
DISCUSSION AFRO-ASIAN SUMMIT CONFERENCE AGENDA SCHEDULED
ALGIERS MARCH. CHOU VISIT AFIAN ARUB STATES AFTER CAIRO.

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JAPANESE EMBOFF INFORMS US HIS EMBASSY HAS REPORT THAT
ONE TOPIC OF CH'EN I TALK WITH SUBANDRIO ON DECEMBER ONE WAS
POSSIBILITY OF CHINESE ASSISTANCE TO GOI IN NUCLEAR ENERGY
FIELD. HE PREVIOUSLY HAD REPORT THAT 24 INDONESIANS SENT TO
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PAGE TWO RUMJBT 117A C O N F I D E N T I A L
SOVIET UNION FOR TRAINING IN THIS FIELD. GOI DESIRES TO OBTAIN
TRAINING IN CHINA AS WELL, PARTLY TO FACILITATE PROGRESS
TOWARD CONSTRUCTION ITS OWN NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND PARTLY TO
KEEP ABREAST CHINESE CAPABILITIES IN VIEW OF LONG-TERM
CHICOM THREAT

JAPANESE SOURCE ALSO HAS REPORT THAT SUKARNO ARGUED TO
CHOU EN-LAI IN SHANGHAI THAT CHINESE SHOULD NOT CARRY
DISPUTE WITH SOVIETS TOO FAR AS THIS WOULD WEAKEN NEFOS.
ACCORDING SAME REPORT, HE ALSO PRAISED CHICOM NUCLEAR
EXPLOSION AS GREAT CONTRIBUTION TO NEFO STRENGTH AND AS
DEMONSTRATION ASIAN CAPABILITY.

ON SUBANDRIO TRIP TO TOKYO, JAP EMBOFF SAID TALKS
WITH FON MIN ROUTINE AND GENERAL. ECONOMIC MATTERS NOT
DISCUSSED IN SPITE OF PRESENCE ADAM MALIK. SUBANDRIO

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ASKED JAPANESE ATTITUDE TOWARD A-A CONFERENCE AND TOLD IT WAS NOW FAVORABLE. JAPANESE WILL TAKE PART AND SUBANDRIO REPORTEDLY URGED JAPAN PLAY ACTIVE ROLE. JAPANESE ASKED SUBANDRIO IF GOI WOULD OPPOSE MALAYSIAN PARTICIPATION TO BITTER END. HE ANSWERED THAT GOI WOULD INDEED TRY VERY HARD TO KEEP MALAYSIA OUT BUT THEN LEFT IMPRESSION THAT GOI WOULD PROBABLY ACCEDE TO MALAYSIA PARTICIPATION IF ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY. SOURCE SAID HE HAD NO INFO ON POSSIBLE SUBANDRIO OR MALIK TALKS WITH OTHER GOJ AGENCIES OR THIRD PARTIES.

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RGUB SECURITY OFFICIAL HAS INFORMED EMBASSY THAT CHICOM
FONMIN CHEN YI WILL ARRIVE LATER TODAY FROM DJAKARTA FOR THREE-
DAY VISIT RANGOON AND TALKS WITH RGUB LEADERS. NO INDICATION
PURPOSE OF VISIT.

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PRESS RELEASE ON CH'EN I VISIT ISSUED BY GOI MIN INFO
CONTAINS NO SURPRISES. FOLLOWING POINTS MADE: (1) VARIOUS
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STRUGGLE SO NEFO# COUNTRIES MUST HELP EACH OTHER, (2) CH'EN I
REAFFIRMED CHICOM SUPPORT FOR INDO STRUGGLE TGRUSH# MALAYSIA
(3) VARIOUS PROBLEMS CONNECTED WITH A-A CONF DISCUSSED, (4)
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MENT OF BILATERAL COOPERATION (#) OF CHICOM. LO
REVIEWED. ON A-A CONFERENCE, STATEMENT EXPRESSED CONTINUED
ADHERENCE TO DECISIONS OF DJAKARTA PREPARATORY MEETING LAST
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Recent broadcasts from Cairo and Baghdad state that Chicom
Premier CHOU En-lai expected to visit several New Eastern and
African countries early next year. Iraq, Syria, Sudan and
Yemen specifically mentioned. No confirmation noted here.
Appreciate any info addressees can discreetly develop.

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DOD MEETINGS CONTINUING BETWEEN CH'EN I AND SUBANDRIO,
NIC WITH LATTER FLANKED AT DIFFERENT TIMES BY MEMBERS OF
AID PRESIDIUM, ARMY C/S YANI, AND FOURTH DEPFONMIN UMARJADI,
RMR WHOSEFIELD IS FOREIGN ECONOMIC RELATIONS. CAS HAS
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SUKARNO IN EARLY MEETING CHOU EN'LAI'S EVALUATION OF
RESULTS OF HIS TRIP TO MOSCOW. CH'EN I ACCOMPANIED
AT TALKS BY CHICOM AMB YAO AND CHANG WEN-CHING, LISTED
AS "HEAD OF DIRECTORATE OF CPR, FONMINISTRY" AND PAI
MO-NUNG, "DEPUTY HEAD OF ASIAN DIRECTORATE ONE" OF CPR
FONMINISTRY.

AFTER YESTERDAY'S TALKS, WHICH LASTED SEVEN HOURS
AND TOOK PLACE AT RESORT OUTSIDE DJAKARTA, SECOND DEPFONMIN
SUWITO (WHO WAS PRESENT) TOLD PRESS CH'EN AND SUBANDRIO
DISCUSSED FORTHCOMING AA CONF, MALAYSIA PROBLEM AND CHICOM
PROPOSAL FOR INTERNATIONAL SUMMIT CONF ON BANNING NUCLEAR
WEAPONS. SUWITO SAID THAT "MATTER OF BILATERAL
INTERESTS BECAME ONE OF BASIC MATTERS INVESTIGATED,
INCLUDING PROBLEM OF CONFRONTATION AGAINST MALAYSIA."
HE ALSO MENTIONED THAT GENERAL REVIEW OF INTERNATIONAL
SITUATION WAS CONDUCTED ALONG WITH REVIEW OF "GENERAL
LEVEL OF JOINT STRUGGLE OF TWO COUNTRIES AGAINST IMPERIALISM."

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CH'EN I HAS ALSO HAD TWO MEETINGS WITH PKI LEADERS
AIDIT, LUKMAN, NJOTO AND SUDISMAN

COMMENT: SPECULATION CONCERNING TRIP HAS BEEN
CFNYAO CHANG WEN-CHING PAI MO-NUNG

PAGE THREE RUMJBT 72A S E C R E T
RIFE IN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES HERE ALTHOUGH THERE HAS
BEEN LITTLE FIRM INFORMATION. FROM INFORMATION
AVAILABLE, IT APPEARS THAT NUMBER OF ITEMS BEING
DISCUSSED AND VISIT IS PROBABLY ONLY GENERAL REVIEW.
FONDEPT SPECIALIST ON UN MATTERS TOLD EMB OFF THAT
MAIN PURPOSE OF TRIP WOULD BE TO DISCUSS TACTICS
FOR FORTHCOMING UNGA SESSION AND THERE HAVE BEEN
RUMORS THAT GOI BEING ASKED TO BECOME SPOKESMAN FOR
CHICOM INTERESTS THERE, ESPECIALLY ON ANNUAL DRIVE TO
SECURE CHICOM ADMITTANCE. GOI SUPPORT OF CHICOMS IS
HARDLY GLARING DEPARTURE IN INDO FOREIGN POLICY,
HOWEVER, AND EMB DOUBTS THAT TRIP WOULD BE MADE FOR
THIS PURPOSE ALONE, ESPECIALLY ON SUDDEN LAST MINUTE
BASIS. OTHER SPECULATION AND RUMORS MAKE AFRO-ASIAN
CONF MAJOR SUBJECT OF TALKS ALTHOUGH IT AGAIN IS NOT
MATTER OF PARTICULAR URGENCY AND EFFORTS COULD BE
COORDINATED THROUGH ROUTINE DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS
EMB BELIEVES ABOVE TWO POINTS IMPORTANT ITEMS
ON AGENDA BUT THAT ATTENTION ALSO BEING DEVOTED TO
COMPARING NOTES ON MEANING OF SOVIET LEADERSHIP

PAGE FOUR RUMJBT 72A S E C R E T
CHANGES AND OTHER SUCH GENERAL INTERNATIONAL
DEVELOPMENTS, CHINESE EXPLORATION OF GOI INTENTIONS
ON MALAYSIA DISPUTE AND POSSIBLE CHICOM ECONOMIC ASSIST-
ANCE (AS UMARJADI'S PRESENCE WOULD IMPLY). CH'EN
WOULD ALSO WANT TO COMPARE NOTES WITH PKI ON SOVIET
DEVELOPMENTS. W/DOUBT, HOWEVER, THAT CH'EN WOULD
TRY TO INTERCEDE WITH SUKARNO ON BEHALF OF PKI POSITION
INTERNALLY. AIDIT'S ACCESS TO SUKARNO IS QUITE GOOD
AND PKI RELIES HEAVILY ON CLAIM TO BE LEGITIMATE INDO
POLITICAL MOVEMENT. CHICOM INTERCESSION WOULD ONLY
PLAY INTO HANDS OF PKI ENEMIES.

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Referring to agreement reached November 28 in Cairo in negotiations between Italy and Chinese Communists for reciprocal establishment Quasi-Governmental trade offices, Malfatti has told us matter likely to be made public today December 1. Among Chinese Communists presently in Rome (EMBTel 1398 to Department) was individual interested in development international trade who has had conversations with ICE (Istituto Di Commercio Con L Estero). Chinese delegation departing Rome today and Malfatti anticipates they will make statement to the press concerning establishment trade offices.

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Malfatti thinks Communist press will attempt to "make much of" announcement but stressed again there were no political conditions to agreement nor was any attempt made by CHICOMs to raise such.

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SUBJECT : Chinese Delegation Not Expected To Hold Official Talks with Italian Government

REF : Embtel 1398 KC 7

Senator Paulo Vittorelli, Socialist Party (PSI) international expert, told Embassy officers November 24 that he did not think the Chinese Communist delegation, which arrived in Rome November 18 (ref tel), would hold talks with Italian Government officials on trade or other matters. He said if the Peiping government wanted to have such talks, it would hold them "through diplomatic channels." Vittorelli did not, however, exclude the possibility that the Chinese might meet privately with Italian businessmen.

Vittorelli also said that his party had no plans to hold talks with members of the Chinese delegation, for the PSI, he added, was not a member of the Italian Peace Committee, which invited the Chinese to Rome. He personally had no plans to meet with members of the delegation, although he expected to see them at a reception scheduled by the Centro Cina, a Communist Party (PCI) front for cultural relations with China to which some PSI leaders, including Riccardo Lombardi, belong. Vittorelli declared that he personally had had no relations with the Chinese Communists since he visited Peiping last June (cf. A-1796, June 23, 1964). As far as he was concerned, he added, he "washed his hands" with Chinese affairs at the completion of his mission to Peiping.

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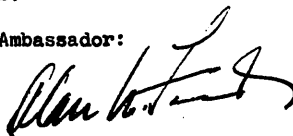
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Comment

An official in the Italian Foreign Ministry has also informed us that the Italian Government had no plans to confer with the Chinese delegation. Vittorelli's statement that he had had no relations with the Chinese Communists since his return from Peiping has also been confirmed by sources in the Italian Foreign Ministry. As far as we are aware, the only contact the Chinese delegation has so far had with the PSI was the visit which Peng Ti, secretary of the delegation and editor of the New China news agency, made to Avanti headquarters on November 20. According to Avanti, Peng and members of the paper's editorial board had "frank talks on principal aspects of world and worker's movement problems."

For the Ambassador:



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First Secretary of Embassy

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EUR PRO-WESTERN SOURCE IN FOREIGN DEPT TOLD EMBASSY CHEN
NEA YI ORIGINALLY INVITED BY GOI TO ARRIVE SATURDAY. GOI
LO LATER SUGGESTED POSTPONEMENT UNTIL SUBANDRIO'S RETURN
P BUT CHEN YI DECIDED ARRIVE FRIDAY, THREE DAYS BEFORE
SUBANDRIO'S SCHEDULED RETURN. EMBASSY HAS NOT YET
USIA UNCOVERED ANY SOLID INFO ON PURPOSE OF TRIP. CONVERSATIONS
NSC WITH NUMEROUS SOVIET AND EE DIPLOMATS AT YUGO RECEPTION
INR FRIDAY NIGHT INDICATED THEY ALSO SEARCHING FOR PURPOSE OF
CIA CFN 1009 110 30 3PM CHEN YI GOI GOI SUBANDRIO'S CHEN YI
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PAGE TWO RUMJBT 1089A C O N F I D E N T I A L
TRIP. SPECULATION IN DIPLOMATIC COMMUNITY STRONGLY
FAVORS AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE AS PRIMARY SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION.
ANOTHER POSSIBILITY IS THAT CHINESE CONCERNED ABOUT
PURPOSE OF SUBANDRIO VISIT TO TOKYO.

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CHICOM FONMIN CH'EN I MET FOR THREE HOURS THIS MORNING
WITH SUKARNO AND MEMBERS GOI PRESIDUM IN PALACE. ACCORDING
TO REUTERS CORRESPONDENT, SUBANDRIO TOLD PRESS FOLLOWING
MEETING THAT "INDONESIA STRONGLY PROTESTS IMPERIALIST INTER-
VENTION IN CONGO." SUBANDRIO CONTINUED THAT "IT NOW CLEAR
PUPPET REGIME USING MISSIONARIES TO OPPRESS OWN PEOPLE," AND
THAT "USE OF FOREIGN TROOPS TO OPPRESS PEOPLE IS OLD PRACTICE
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IN SEA EMPLOYED IN VIET-NAM AND MALAYSIA." CH'EN I - SUBANDRIO
TALKS CONTINUING THIS AFTERNOON NEAR BOGOR, AND THIRD DEPRIMIN
SALEH AND ARMY C/S YANI WILL ALSO ATTEND.

PRESS GIVING UNFAVORABLE ATTENTION TO STANLEYVILLE RESCUE
MISSION AND EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED PROTEST TELEGRAMS FROM
YOUTH AND LABOR GROUPS AFFILIATED WITH OR INFLUENCED BY PKI, AS
IS USUAL ON ISSUES OF THIS NATURE.

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ALITY AS CHEN TO DJAKARTA ON SUCH SHORT NOTICE. IN ABSENCE
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OF FURTHER INFORMATION ALL WE CAN OFFER IS BROAD SPECU-
LATION ON WHAT CHICOMS MAY HAVE IN MIND, BUT OUR THOUGHTS
RUN ALONG THESE LINES:

1. BOLSTERING PRESTIGE OF SUKARNO, (H) SEEMS TO
HAVE TARNISHED A BIT LATELY BOTH AT HOME AND ABROAD. CHICOMS
PROBABLY STILL SEE HIM SERVING USEFUL ROLE IN MOBILIZING
OPINION IN AFRO-ASIAN NATIONS TO SERVE THEIR PURPOSES.
E.G. (H) EXTENSION OF WAR IN VIETNAM TO
DRV (PERHAPS A PRIORITY MATTER AT THIS TIME), BACKING CHI-
COMS ON "ANTI-IMPERIALISM," SUPPORTING CHICOM PROPOSAL FOR
COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL BANNING OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS,
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CONEFO OR TAKING MORE FORTHRIGHT STANCE IN ANTI-MALAYSIAN CONFRONTATION, PERHAPS TO INCLUDE INCREASED ECONOMIC AID. SEE FCH-5134, NOV 3, 1964, ON POSSIBLE CHICOM PLANS FOR SUKARNO EMERGING FROM SUKARNO-CHOU EN-LAI MEETING IN SHANGHAI.

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PAGE THREE RUMJDH 04 C O N F I D E N T I A L

2. WORKING TOWARDS GREATER PARTICIPATION OF PKI IN INDO-NESEAN GOVT. WE OF COURSE DEFER TO EMBASSY DJAKARTA ON WHETHER OR NOT CHICOM INTERCESSION WITH SUKARNO WOULD HELP PKI, BUT WE WERE STRUCK BY FACT THAT AIDIT WAS LISTED BY NCNA JUST AFTER LEIMINA IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE OF DIGNITARIES MEETING CHEN YI AT DJAKARTA AIRPORT. (AIDIT HAS BEEN VERY USEFUL TO CHICOMS IN TAKING PEIPING'S SIDE IN SINO-SOVIET POLEMIC, AND IS FAST BECOMING APPLE OF THEIR EYE.)

3. FINALLY, CHICOMS MAY FEEL THAT SUKARNO'S CURRENT PROBLEMS ON MALAYSIA AND OTHER DOMESTIC MATTERS RENDER HIM EXCEPTIONALLY VULNERABLE TO EXPLOITATION. IF SO, ALONG WITH CHINESE PUNCTURE TEAM WORKING ON SUKARNO, CHEN YI WOULD BE JUST THE PERSON TO STRIKE THE RIGHT NERVE.

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E.G. PROTESTING PROSPECTIVE EXTENSION OF U.S. IN VIETNAM
AND "OVERSEAS" A PROHIBITIVE BARRIER AT THIS TIME. BACKED BY
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SOVIET AMB MIKHAILOV TOLD FRENCH AMB LASTNIGHT
(NOV. 26) THAT HE INVITED BY CHICOM AMB TO GO TO AIRPORT IN
ORDER MEET CHICOM FONMIN CHEN YI WAS DUE HERE EARLY THIS
MORNING. MIKHAILOV TOLD FRENCH AMB HE SURPRISED INVITATION

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PAGE TWO RUMJBT 1019A C O N F I D E N T I A L
DID NOT COME FROM FONMIN AND ADDED GLEEFULLY CHEFNYI HAD
COME TO SEE SUBANDRIO BUT LATTER HAD "FLOWN THE COOP".
CHEN YI DID ARRIVE AT 9:00 THIS MORNING ON SPECIAL AIRCRAFT
AND WAS MET BY LEIMENA AND AIDIT. DIPLOMATIC CORPS
APPARENTLY NOT NOTIFIED. ARRIVAL ARRANGEMENTS OBVIOUSLY
MADE IN GREAT HURRY ACCORDING LOCAL PRESS WHICH ONLY
NOTIFIED OF ARRIVAL AT MIDNIGHT.
GOI SPOKESMAN TOLD AMERICAN NEWSMAN THAT
CHEN YI HAD COME TO INDO INVITATION AND WILL BE HERE "FEW"
DAYS". HE IS SCHEDULED TO MEET SUKARNO SATURDAY AND HAVE
LUNCH WITH HIM AT BOGOR ON SUNDAY. SINCE SUBANDRIO WILL
REPORTEDLY RETURN ON MONDAY, IT SEEMS LIKELY CHEN YI
WILL WAIT FOR HIS RETURN.

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GENERAL REVIEW OF INTERNATIONAL SITUATION IN LIGHT VARIOUS
MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS OF LAST SIX WEEKS WITH PARTICULAR
ATTENTION TO AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE DEVELOPMENTS WHERE GOI
INCREASINGLY ISOLATED ON QUESTION OF MALAYSIAN ATTENDANCE.
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OFFICIALS DIRECTLY, HIS PAST PERFORMANCE IN SIMILAR
SITUATIONS SUGGESTS HE MAY USE INFORMAL CHANNELS FOR DIS-
CUSSIONS WITH ITALIAN POLITICIANS AND BUSINESSMEN. LEI JEN-
MIN IS WELL PRACTICED IN DEALINGS WITH FOREIGN BUSINESSMEN.

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Chinese Communist delegation headed by Liao Chang Chi arrived in Rome from Paris November 18 at invitation of (Communist front) Italian Peace Committee (IPC). Group composed of: Liao Chang Chi, Deputy in Chinese National Assembly; Chao Yi Min, Member of Consultative Conference of Chinese People; Lei Jen Min, Vice President of Chinese Committee for Development International Trade; Peng Ti, secretary of delegation; Hsu Tao, doctor; and Misses Chi Tsung Hua and Wu Ke Liang, interpreters.

Delegation met at airport by Italian Communist (PCI) Senator Luciano Mencaraglia and Ubaldo Moronesi, Secretaries of IPC, and Ina Sansone of "Centro Cina", a well-known PCI front for cultural relations with China. Press statement by Mencaraglia said delegation would be in Italy "about ten days" to hold conversations with IPC leadership on "international cooperation for peace." Mencaraglia tried protect Chinese delegation from press without success. Press questions developed no information concerning any other notable activities or contacts with PCI hierarchy, other parties, or contacts in field of foreign trade. In typical answer to question as to whether delegation would see Longo, Pajetta, or other PCI leaders Liac said "we do not know. We are here at invitation of IPC and to strengthen friendship between the two peoples".

Mencaraglia made every effort to dissociate IPC from PCI and emphasized

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emphasized that party-to-party relationships not involved "up to now" in present visit.

With regard widely reported rumor that PCI attempted persuade Chinese Communists in Paris delay arrival Rome until after elections, Mencaraglia said his trip to Paris was to greet Chinese Communists upon arrival Europe and to arrange schedule of conversations. Liao also denied having been asked postpone visit. IPC maintains invitation open to Chinese Communists since April 16, and claims timing has no relation to recent international events with which non-Communists attempting link visit to try to demonstrate embarrassment of Communist Party here.

Comment: Presence of Chinese Communists inconvenient and troublesome to many here, like appearance of religious ascetic among merry-makers. PCI cannot be enthusiastic about Chinese Communists arrival before elections, because serves to remind electorate of PCI embarrassment over Khrushchev ouster and of Chinese Communist bomb. Government may mildly welcome Chinese Communists for this reason but cannot be entirely happy about timing because enables right-wing to claim that government about to change basic policy on China recognition and entry UN.

Saragat's Deputy Chief of Cabinet (Marras) told Embassy officer November 19 that he was "quite sure" no trade talks are planned by government with Chinese Communist group, citing as reasons absence of Saragat and other Italian political leaders campaigning, and impression made on Foreign Office of Tyler-Fenoaltea talk November 14. Marras said Foreign Office anxious not to cause difficulties for US in pursuing its China policy.

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Embassy has no information on Hou's plans but is making discreet inquiries.

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EMBTEL 252 AND A-173, NOVEMBER 3

JOINT SINO-AFGHAN COMMUNIQUE SIGNED PEIPING NOV 12 RELEASED KABUL
MORNING NOV 14. KING AND QUEEN LEFT PEIPING NOV 13, SPENT NIGHT
IN IRKUTSK USSR, EXPECTED RETURN KABUL NOV 16.

COMMUNIQUE OUTLINES PLACES, PROJECTS AFGHAN PARTY VISITED OCT
30 - NOV 13, NOTES DISCUSSIONS KING WITH MAO TSE TUNG, LIU SHAO

PAGE TWO RUQVWB 184 C O N F I D E N T I A L
CHI AND CHOU EN LAI HELD IN FRIENDLY AND UNDERSTANDING ATMOSPHERE.
RECALLING 1960 AGREEMENT FRIENDSHIP AND NON-AGGRESSION AND BORDER
DEMARCATION 1964, COMMUNIQUE RECORDS AGREEMENT BOTH COUNTRIES TO
FURTHER DEVELOP ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL TIES AS WELL AS TECHNICAL
AID. BOTH COUNTRIES RECONFIRM SPIRIT BANDUNG AND OPINE NON-ALIGNED
CONFERENCES BELGRADE AND CAIRO HELPED KEEP WORLD PEACE. HOPE
EXPRESSED SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE BEING HELD ALGERIA NEXT
MARCH WOULD FOLLOW SPIRIT BANDUNG AGAINST COLONIALISM AND ON
BEHALF STRENGTHENING UNITY AFRO-ASIAN NATIONS. COMMUNIQUE CON-
CLUDES PRESIDENT LIU SHAO CHI ACCEPTED KING'S INVITATION VISIT
AFGHANISTAN AT UNSPECIFIED DATE. TEXT COMMUNIQUE WILL BE POUCHED.

COMMENT: LOW-KEY REFERENCE TECHNICAL AID SUGGESTS NO MAJOR CHICOM
ASSISTANCE AFGHANISTAN CONCLUDED DURING VISIT. REFERENCE BANDUNG II
BALANCED BY FAVORABLE MENTION BELGRADE AND CAIRO MEETINGS.
COMMUNIQUE APPARENTLY INDICATES NO SIGNIFICANT DEPARTURE FROM
PAST POLICIES DURING VISIT. AFGHAN ATTITUDE CHICOM NUCLEAR TEST
CONTAINED PRIMIN'S LETTER CHOU EN LAI PUBLISHED HERE NOV 8 (EMBTEL
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Vienna's A-414 (being pouched separately to Addis Ababa)

According ref airgram, Hou Tung, who presently in Addis Ababa as representative to opening of ChiCom trade exhibition, not expected arrive Vienna for signing ChiCom-Austrian trade agreement until early December.

According earlier information, Hou expected in Vienna this month.

Do you have information on present activities Hou, and any indication (possibly including UAR) that he intends undertake other travel/prior departing for Vienna?

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FROM : American Embassy - NEW DELHI

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DATE: November 10, 1964

SUBJECT: HUANG Tsu-min, NCNA Correspondent

REF :

In a recent conversation with the Reporting Officer, Mr. Louis Kraar, Chief of the New Delhi office of Time-Life, referred to a New China News Agency (NCNA) correspondent, HUANG Tsu-min, he had met in Karachi and again in Colombo during Chou En-lai's visit to Pakistan and Ceylon last winter. Kraar contrasted Huang's sophistication and approachability with the inaccessibility of other NCNA correspondents that accompanied Chou. He volunteered to make available the report he had filed on Huang, a copy of which is herewith transmitted as an Enclosure.

For the Ambassador



L. Douglas Heck
Counsellor for Political Affairs

Enclosure: *at 22:00*

Kraar's Report on Huang

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From: NEW DELHI

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

From: Louis Kraar, New Delhi

Date: November 5, 1964

Subject: CHOU'S PRESS CORPS

While Chou En-lai makes his way through South Asia, his private Chinese press corps quietly operates to win friends and influence Asian journalists.

When Chou's plane plops down at airports, his five "newsmen" are first to get choice spots for pictures and welcoming speeches. In between reporting chores, the Chinese journalists back up Chou among the newsmen and projects an amiable image. Leading newsmen-flack for Chou is a well-polished, persuasive young "correspondent" for the Hsinhua rpt Hsinhua news agency.

Upon first meeting Huang Tsu-min rpt Huang Tsu-min, the newsman, at a Karachi Press Club reception, he smiled and said: "Time and Life magazines are in many of our schools and libraries in Peking. Why don't you Americans allow our publications to circulate in your country?" In his impeccable blue tunic, Huang was the picture of reasonable Red China. Before we could answer, he launched into cordial discussion about exchanging Unistates and Chicom newsmen. "I wish we could visit each other's countries."

Throughout Chou's Pakistan trip, Huang and company were treated as members of Chinese official party, invited to all dinners and given Government cars with chauffeurs. In Rawalpindi the local press club threw a tea honoring Chicom journalists.

And none other than Huang rose before microphone at Liaquat rpt Liaquat gardens and gave a little speech echoing Chou En-lai's peace and Afroasian solidarity line. "New developments in Sino-Pakistani friendship in the past few years have brought us together," said he, beaming to Pak journalists. He cited a common goal -- "to oppose foreign intervention and aggression," and noted that Pakistan Press "is giving excellent coverage to our Prime Minister's visit."

He closed with slogan: "Cheen, Pakistan Zinderbad," which means long live China and Pakistan. Later we asked Huang how Chou's talks with Pak President Ayub were going. Said he smiling innocently,

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BRIEFED AMB SHEN FULLY NOV 7. HE BELIEVES AND I CONCUR THAT BEST HE CAN HOPE FOR IS PREVENT CHICOM RECOGNITION OR DELAY IT SEVERAL MONTHS. COUNSELLED SHEN ON WHOM TO SEE AND WHAT TO SAY. HE STILL HOPES GET GIMO LETTER. PLANS STAY HERE TWO WEEKS. EMBASSY PROVIDING HIM FULLEST POSSIBLE COOPERATION. GP-3.

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FROM : Amembassy LAGOS

SUBJECT: Further Chinese Communist Visits

REF Deptcirtels 761 and 707
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The Nigerian Government is aware of Chinese Communist Foreign Minister Chen Yi's visit to Algeria but has no information suggesting he will travel elsewhere in Africa, according to Mr. O. Jolaoso, who has been shifted from Acting Head of the Africa Division to Head of the European—Western and Asia Divisions of the Ministry of External Affairs. He added, in a general conversation on October 30, that to the best of his knowledge no other Chinese Communists were expected in West Africa and that none are scheduled to come to Nigeria.

For the Ambassador:

Alfred E. Wellons
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 Counselor of Embassy
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CHICOM FOREIGN MINISTER CHEN YI PASSED THROUGH
KARACHI AIRPORT MORNING 6 NOVEMBER ON RETURN FROM
ALGERIA AND CAIRO BY PIA CHARTER AIRCRAFT. MET AT
AIRPORT BY DIRECTOR GENERAL FOREIGN MINISTRY AGHA
SHAHI AND CHICOM AMBASSADOR TO PAKISTAN TING KUO-YU.
ACCORDING PRESS RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR TO PAKISTAN
NESTERENKO HAPPENED TO BE AT AIRPORT "ON SOME OTHER
BUSINESS" AND SHOOK HANDS WITH CHEN YI. MCCONAUGHY
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Chinese Communist Foreign Minister Chen Yi and party of 15 spent six hours Cairo afternoon November 5 in transit Algiers-Peking. Reportedly Chen Yi conferred with Nasser who assisted by First Vice President Amer and Foreign Minister Riad. No published details re talks. Visit received minimal coverage by press, which devoted, however, considerable space to report-age Chou's trip to Moscow.

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Informed by French Ambassador (protect source) that Foreign Minister Kone told him Mali making another attempt induce GOUV accept visit CHICOM goodwill mission. Kone said he confident President Yameogo will again reject approach. Levasseur repeated earlier statement (EMBTel 144) that GOF has no wish see further CHICOM penetration in Africa.

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Comment: Evident CHICOMs have not given up on hold-outs. We may find it advisable check on whereabouts and activities Nazi Boni, only self-exiled opposition leader, last known to be living in Dakar. CHICOMs might consider trying use him as they have Djibo Bakary of Niger and organize subversive movement from Mali if Yameogo continues resist their overtures.

Does Dakar have recent news of Boni?

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SEMI-OFFICIAL AHRAH NOVEMBER 5 REPORTS CHICOM DEPUTY
PREMIER AND FONMIN CHEN YI TO ARRIVE CAIRO 1300 NOVEMBER 5
FOR ONE-DAY VISIT. CHEN YI ON WAY HOME FROM ALGIERS,
WHERE LED CHINESE DEL TO REVOLUTION DAY CELEBRATION.

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With regard to announcement that Chou En-lai will head Chinese Communist Delegation to November 7 ceremonies in Moscow, Indian Ambassador Kaul told me this evening he had been reassured in strongest terms by Soviet officials (he did not mention names) that Chou's visit did not presage any shift in Soviet position re India or India's difficulties with China.

Comment: Above is of interest as line which Soviets can be expected take on Chou's visit with India and other countries concerned with Chinese threat.

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2. CHEN YI WAS ACCOMPANIED BY PARTY OF 14 INCLUDING TWO NORTH
VIETNAMESE AND WAS TRAVELING ON PIA CHARTERED AIRCRAFT. CHICOM
REQUESTED MEETING WITH BHUTTO OCT 26 AND AT SAME TIME REQUESTED
THERE BE NO PUBLICITY ON KARACHI STOPOVER UNTIL CHEN YI DEPARTED
AND PEIPING COAUD MAKE ANNOUNCEMENT. (MFA ANNOUNCED VISIT
MORNING OCT 30 FOLLOWING CHEN YI'S DEPARTURE.)

3. DISCUSSION BETWEEN FORMINS COVERED GENERAL EXCHANGE ON
INTERNATIONAL SITUATION, SINO-PAK RELATIONS, AND SINO-INDIAN
PROBLEM. BOTH FORMINS REVIEWED RESPECTIVE POSITIONS OF THEIR GOVTS.
AT MEETING CHEN YI GAVE PAKS STRONG DECLARATION OF SUPPORT ON
KASHMIR STATING CHICOM'S POSITION BASED ON MERITS OF CASE,
CHICOM'S FAVORED PLEBISCITE, AND CHICOM'S WOULD MAINTAIN STAND
ON PRINCIPLE OF SELF-DETERMINATION IRRESPECTIVE OF ANY CHANGE
IN THEIR RELATIONS WITH INDIA OR EVEN SINO-INDIAN AGREEMENT.
BHUTTO EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR CHICOM'S POSITION AND STRONG
HOPE THAT THERE WOULD BE SINO-INDIAN SETTLEMENT.
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4. BHUTTO AND CHEN YI ALSO DISCUSSED NON-ALIGNED CONF AND AFRO-ASIAN CONF. CHEN YI TOLD BHUTTO HE PLANNED TO DISCUSS AFRO-ASIAN CONF WITH BEN BELLA. HE PLANNED TO URGE THAT IT BE HELD ON SCHEDULE (MARCH 10), AND TO OFFER CHICOM ASSISTANCE TO STANDING COMMITTEE MEETING NOW IN ALGERIA TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONF.

5. CHEN YI FURTHER MADE "GUARDED" COMMENTS ON KHRUSHCHEV OUSTER, STATING OUSTER WELCOMED BY CHICOMS AND WAS RESULT OF POLICY FAILURES ON PART KHRUSHCHEV. CHEN YI INDICATED CHICOMS ANTICIPATED THERE MIGHT BE CHANGES IN SOVIET POLICY AS RESULT KHRUSHCHEV OUSTER IF POLICY NOT CHANGED. HOWEVER, CHICOMS NOT CERTAIN AS TO EXTENT SOVIET POLICIES WILL BE CHANGED AND ADOPTING POSTURE OF WATCHFUL WAITING. HE ADDED THAT IN RESPONSE KHRUSHCHEV OUSTER CHICOMS NOT PREPARED COMPROMISE "ON PRINCIPLE" BUT KEEN TO MAKE OTHER ADJUSTMENTS IN RELATIONS WITH SOVIET UNION.
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6. CHEN YI ALSO REITERATED CHICOM LINE ON THEIR RECENT NUCLEAR DETONATION AND USUAL CRITICISM OF "US AGGRESSION". SAID PEIPING "DOES NOT WANT WAR WITH US" BUT WARNED THAT IF VIETNAMESE CONFLICT EXTENDED TO NORTH VIETNAM BY US, COMMUNIST CHINA COMMITTED COME TO SUPPORT OF SVN.

7. COMMENT: CHICOMS SUPPORT FOR PAK POSITION ON KASHMIR MORE FORTHCOMING THAN POSITION TAKEN BY CHOU EN-LAI DURING HIS VISIT TO PAKISTAN FEB THIS YEAR. FROM SHAMI'S COMMENTS, SUSPECT QUID PRO QUID DRAWN BY CHICOMS FROM PAKS WAS REAFFIRMATION OF FULL PAK SUPPORT FOR HOLDING SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONF IN MARCH AS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED. 3P-3.
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GENERALLY FAVORABLE INITIAL COMMENT ON CONDUCT OF JSP MISSION TO PEIPING (EMBTel 1310), ESPECIALLY NARITA'S STRONG PROTEST AGAINST CCNE AND CHOU EN-LAI'S ADMISSION THAT HE UNDERSTOOD JAPANESE OPPOSITION TO NUCLEAR TESTS, HAS TURNED MUCH MORE CRITICAL WITH ANNOUNCEMENT OF JOINT COMMUNIQUE SIGNED OCTOBER 29. COMMUNIQUE (CARRIED FBIS B291234) REGISTERED MILD DIFFERENCE OF JSP AND CHICOM VIEWS ON NUCLEAR TEST ISSUE, CONCENTRATING INSTEAD ON AGREEMENT THAT TOTAL BAN ON NUCLEAR WEAPONS WAS ONLY EFFECTIVE WAY TO PEACE, AND SUBORDINATING WHOLE ISSUE TO LENGTHY "UNANIMOUS" ANALYSIS OF WORLD SITUATION, ESPECIALLY ASIA, ALONG STRAIGHT CHICOM LINE. COMMUNIQUE DID NOT MENTION LIMITED NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY, AND AVOIDED REFERENCE TO "PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE." COMMUNIQUE ABOUNDS WITH CONDEMNATIONS OF "AMERICAN IMPERIALISM," LISTS JAPANESE AND CHINESE "STRUGGLES" SEPARATELY BUT INSISTS THAT "OBJECTIVELY" THESE ARE "JOINT STRUGGLES AGAINST AMERICAN IMPERIALISM" AS "CORRECTLY RECOGNIZED BY ASANUMA STATEMENT."

NARITA'S DEFENDERS WILL PROBABLY NOTE THAT EXPRESSION OF DIVERGENCE OF VIEWS ON NUCLEAR TEST ISSUE, WHILE MILD, WAS NEVERTHELESS FIRST TIME JSP HAD REGISTERED OPINION CONTRARY TO VIEW HELD BY CHICOMS IN ANY JOINT COMMUNIQUE, AND IT CAME AT TIME WHEN CHICOMS WERE PRESUMABLY RIDING HIGH IN WAKE OF KHRUSHCHEV OUSTER AND CCNE. MOREOVER, NARITA APPARENTLY SUCCESSFULLY PREVENTED CHICOM EFFORTS SPLIT HIS DELEGATION. HOWEVER, NARITA'S CRITICS, INCLUDING SUBSTANTIAL ELEMENTS OF JSP MAINSTREAM, CAN REASONABLY POINT OUT THAT CCNE GAVE JSP

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DRAMATIC CHANCE TO EXPRESS OPPOSITION TO CHICOM LINE. WEAK-KNEED ATTITUDE REFLECTED IN COMMUNIQUE IS OUT OF TUNE WITH CURRENT PUBLIC OPINION IN JAPAN. WHILE COMMUNIQUE MANAGED TO AVOID COMPLETE CAPITULATION TO CHICOMS, IT PROBABLY DISAPPOINTS THOSE GROUPS WHO HAD HOPED THAT JSP CAN BE TRUSTED TO PROMOTE NATIONAL INTEREST. CRITICISM FROM RIGHT WING OF JSP PROBABLY INSUFFICIENT TO DISLODGE NARITA FROM POSITION HE NOW HOLDS.

NO EXPLANATION GIVEN THUS FAR WHY NARITA MISSION FAILED TO MEET WITH MAO, AS PREVIOUS JSP MISSIONS TO PEIPING HAVE DONE.

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DATE: October 29, 6 p.m.

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Delhi's 1302 to Department.

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1. Consul General Dacca states it has no indication CHICOM Foreign Minister Chen Yi in Dacca when Ayub arrived October 28. Embassy has no information from local sources of any plans for transit through Karachi by Chen Yi in next few days.

2. Embassy also notes ANTARA report October 28 from Djakarta that Chen Yi and Chou En-lai both scheduled greet Sukarno in Shanghai November 1.

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ACTION DEPT 645 INFO MOSCOW ONE ASMARA 316, TWENTYNINTH.
CIRC 707 AND EMBTEL 643 TO DEPT

NOW LEARN THAT OCT 27 ARRIVAL OF CHICOM HOU TON MARKED
BY AIRPORT GREETING OF SOVIET AMBASSADOR AND OTHER
BLOC AND INDONESIAN CMS AS WELL AS TANZAN AND SUDAN
CHARGES. ETHIOPIANS WERE AT DIRECTOR GENERAL LEVEL.
SOVIET AMBS GESTURE MARKED DEPARTURE FROM PAST
PRACTICE SUCH AS WITH CHICOMS WHO CAME HERE IN EARLY 1964
TO PREPARE FOR CHOU VISIT. GP-3.
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Depcirtel 707 (pouched some addressees)

ChiCom Foreign Minister Chen Yi and accompanying delegation reportedly on way to Algiers to attend celebrations commemorating tenth anniversary outbreak Algerian revolution, scheduled for coming week end. We thus far have no reports of further travel plans. Nonetheless, as outlined refel we believe Chen Yi may visit other countries to attempt persuade African leaders on rationale for nuclear test and/or push for additional recognitions and seating in UN.

Posts requested report any indications of additional Chen Yi travel. You may, of course, where deemed appropriate draw on previous guidance for discussions with host government on pitfalls acceptance ChiCom delegation and establishment closer ties with CPR.

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DATE: October 28, 4 p.m. *Pol 7 Chicom*
Hong Kong's 548, New Delhi's 1302 to Department.

No indication here yet that Chen Yi plans make other African stops following attendance National Day celebrations. Local press says 13 (rather than 22) man delegation scheduled arrive October 30 but no names yet published.

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ACTION DEPT 643 INFO HONG KONG THREE TAIPEI 14 ASMARA 314 TWENTYEIGHTH

CIRCULAR 707.

ACCORDING LOCAL PRESS, HOU TON, VICE PRESIDENT ECONOMIC CONSTRUCTION CPR, ARRIVED ADDIS OCTOBER 27 TO ATTEND- OPENING CHICOM ECONOMIC EXHIBITION HERE EARLY NOVEMBER. PRESUMABLY THIS IS SAME OFFICIAL MENTIONED REFTEL. WILL REPORT FURTHER CEO AS AVAILABLE.

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October 26, 1964 Control No. 021669 to the Department.

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re: visit of Chicom Foreign Minister
Chen yi.

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ACTION DEPT (1302) INFO KARACHI 363 Dacca 26 ALGIERS ONE
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MEA CHINA DIRECTOR NARAYANAN TOLD EMBASSY OFFICER OCTOBER 27
THAT HE HAD RECEIVED VISIT SAME DAY BY CHICOM EMBASSY OFFICER
WHO HAD INFORMED HIM THAT CHEN YI, AT HEAD OF 22-MAN CHICOM
DELEGATION, WOULD BE OVER-FLYING INDIA OCTOBER 29 FROM Dacca
TO KARACHI EN ROUTE ALGIERS FOR ALGERIAN NATIONAL DAY CELE-
BRATIONS. SINCE HE USING SCHEDULED AIRLINE AND NOT FLYING
BY CHICOM PILOTED OR CHARTERED AIRCRAFT CLEARANCE FOR
OVERFLIGHT NOT REQUIRED.
CFN 1302 36-626 404 83 27 CHEN YI 22 29

PAGE TWO RUSBAE 1146 C O N F I D E N T I A L
NATV ANAN ALSO SAID INDIAN CHARGE MEHTA HAD REPORTED FROM
PEIPING THAT CHEN YI WAS DEPARTING PEIPING OCTOBER 25
(MEHTA'S REPORT BASED ON LOCAL INFORMATION AND NOT ON CHICOM
APPROACH IN PEIPING). NARAYANAN EXPRESSED PUZZLEMENT AS TO
CHEN YI'S SCHEDULE, WONDERING WHETHER FOUR INTERVENING DAYS
WOULD BE SPENT IN Dacca POSSIBLY WITH AYUB, IN RANGOON,
OR IN SOUTHWEST CHINA.

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ACTION DEPT 548 INFO ALGIERS ONE FROM HKONG OCT 26, 6:30 PM

REF: DEPCIRTEL 707.

IN CONNECTION REFTTEL, AFP REPORT FROM PEIPING CARRIED SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST OCT 26 CITES "INFORMED FOREIGN SOURCE" IN PEIPING THAT FOMIN CHEN YI, HEADING THIRTEEN MAN DELEGATION, LEFT OCT 25 FOR ALGERIA. OBJECTIVE OF VISIT UNSPECIFIED. IF REPORT ACCURATE, CHEN COULD JOURNEY TO OTHER AF CAPITALS, E.G. BANGUI, (FOR EXCHANGE OF DOCUMENTS CHICOM LOAN AND FORMAL ESTABLISHMENT CAR-CHICOM RELATIONS), ADDIS ABABA, AND POSSIBLY DAKAR, COTONOU, LUSAKA (CPR'S RECOGNITION OF ZAMBIA ANNOUNCED OCT 23).

DEPARTMENT PASS OTHER POSTS AS DESIRED.

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CFN 548 ONE 26 6:30 PM 707 AFP 26 CHEN YI 25 ALGERIA CHEN AF E G BANGUI CAR ADDIS ABABA DAKAR COTONOU LUSAKA CPR'S ZAMBIA 23

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TO : DEPARTMENT OF STATE

INFO : RANGOON

FROM : Amconsul MANDALAY

DATE: October 22, 1964

SUBJECT: RGUB Wary of Chicom Infiltration in Kengtung Area

REF :

A police officer in charge of border administration in Kengtung reported to a senior USIS local employee, his cousin, that the Burmese Government has set up 15 Army outposts in the Kengtung area of the Northern Shan State with specific orders to watch for Chinese Communist troops passing through the area. Kengtung is within 60 miles of the borders of China, Laos, and Thailand. The outposts have 20 men assigned to each. They have orders to send information on Chicom troop movements by radio to Kengtung, and not to shoot. So far there have been no reports of any infiltration. The troops are ethnic Kachin and Chin army troops, rather than ethnic Shan policemen who would normally be assigned to such border guarding duties. The Shans reportedly were not considered trustworthy.

The police officer reasoned that these defense measures, which were taken in early August, are a result of the Chou En-lai visit to Burma July 10-12. At that time it was strongly rumored that the Chicom had asked for permission to send troops across the lip of Burmese territory from China into western Laos and possibly Thailand. The establishment of outposts presumably indicates a Burmese suspicion that the Chicom might go ahead even after refusal.

Donald C. Ellison
American Vice Consul

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We speculate that Chicoms may despatch another high-level delegation to several African nations in near future, possibly to tie in with October 24 Zambian independence ceremonies. In this regard, we note report from CorGen Hong Kong that HOU Tung, Vice Chairman China Council for Promotion International Trade, who going to Vienna next month to sign unofficial trade agreement with ~~Austrian~~ Austrian Chamber of Commerce, will visit Ethiopia and number of other African countries in route. Additionally, Lu Hsu-chang, who recently completed extended African tour, left Peiping October 16 for Ceylon to discuss signing of trade protocol. ~~This already puts~~ This already puts him half way to Africa.

Circular 707

Visits could be used attempt persuade African leaders on rationale for nuclear test, as well continue push for additional recognitions and support for seating in UN as opening GA nears. Several invitations remain outstanding from time Premier CHOU En-lai trip earlier in year, and his appearance on scene to consummate establishment diplomatic relations in CAR or other West African states not impossible.

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FROM : Amembassy DAR ES SALAAM

SUBJECT: Chicom Missions in the United Republic of Tanganyika and Zanzibar

REF : A-145 dated September 29, 1964

DATE: October 20, 1964

A Tanganyika Information Service press release announced that an eight man Chicom mission made an extensive inspection of the Kilimanjaro Region. According to the TIS release, the group was headed by the Director of Land Reclamation in China, Mr. Shutcho.

The delegation visited various irrigation projects including the Kalimawe Dam and the site of the Ngumha ya Mungu Dam on the Pangani River. They also toured sugar plantations, coffee curing works and research stations.

Meanwhile a second group of Chinese visited Arusha. This is the same group that toured the Iringa and Mbeya Regions (A-145 dated September 29). The announced purpose of the trip was to assess the potentialities of clay deposits outside Arusha for brick and tile manufacture. In addition, they examined possible phosphate deposits for chemical fertilizer about 87 miles from Arusha and the use of bamboo for woodpulp in Meru and Mbulu.

The delegation also held extensive discussions with local forestry, water and agricultural officials in the Arusha area, and discussed with PWD and Tanesco the question of roads and electric power in the areas concerned.

A photograph of this Chicom delegation appeared in the Sunday News of October 18, 1964. As usual no individual members were identified, but a copy of the photograph is enclosed. The English speaking member of the delegation is Lu Hs Ching. Other members are Chen Chen Pas, Hsin Yuan Chu, Tsui Cheng Hsim, Yuan Chang Wien, and Miao Tien Cheng.

For the Ambassador:

Chris C. Pappas, Jr.
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(1) KHRUSHCHEV OUSTER REPRESENTS SIGNIFICANT CHINESE VICTORY;

(2) CHINESE ATOM BOMB, WHILE LESS SOPHISTICATED THAN US, UK AND SOVIET TYPES, IS FULLY AS ADVANCED AS ANYTHING WHICH THE FRENCH HAVE.

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Re Department circular 589, Embassy telegram 53.

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Despite previous assurances given Embassy, no CHICOM offers forthcoming during goodwill visit Dahomey (EMBTEL 53), Foreign Office official (Laventure) informed Embassy officer today CHICOMs did offer Dahomey grant economic assistance including sugar refinery and tea plantation. While aid terms not discussed, he said, Laventure felt it clear establishment diplomatic relations was condition of assistance offer. He insisted no loan offer was made by CHICOMs.

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FROM: Yaounde

ACTION: Secstate 131

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DATE: October 5, 6 PM (SECTION ONE OF TWO)

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Reference: EMBTELS 116, 119, 123. - *POL 7 CHICOM*
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Aftermath of CHICOM visit to Yaounde.

As President Ahidjo advanced his departure for Cairo leaving Yaounde October 2 I unfortunately did not have opportunity discuss importance of visit of CHICOM mission with him as I had hoped to do. Foreign Ministry officials and those officials participating in meeting i.e. SECGEN of FONMIN, Tchoungui, Director Surete, Pondi, Director of Planning, Dina Lobe, and advisor to President Tefak have been very reticent on subject, with tenor of responses being that talks were of bi-lateral nature. Consequently much remains unclear as to what actually happened during the talks.

However, both the President and FONMIN Balla gave priority to receiving Ambassador Woo after departure of CHICOM mission and from what Woo has told me and from information received from other sources, including some remarks dropped by Tchoungui and Ekani, Udir of Cabinet of FONMIN, it seems apparent that:

A) It was CHICOMS who initiated approach for talks at Djakarta preparatory conference for second Bandung meeting with follow-up

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through GFRC Embassy Paris.

B) Cameroonians confronted CHICOMS with proof of CPR support of APC terrorists and CHICOMS took position that they were merely a good-will trade mission and therefore had no knowledge of such matters, but any support for UPC must have been prior to Cameroon independence or undertaken by "private groups". The Cameroonians, according to Woo, said they were astonished to learn of "private groups" in a communist state and pressed the CHICOMS to explain presence of some 375 Cameroonians reported to be at a military academy near Peking, a matter CHICOMS refused to discuss saying that if GFRC was not prepared to discuss trade and other matters of mutual interest mission should depart.

C) Ahidjo refused allow CHICOMS to meet with any Ministers, except the FONMIN despite their repeated requests, and would not allow the mission to hold a reception it had planned.

D) CHICOMS kept stressing fact they represented 650 million people with an air of arrogance and superiority which did not go down well with the Cameroonians, but which nevertheless impressed them.

E) Considerable haggling went on over wording of joint communique, the issuance of which CHICOMS insisted upon. GFRC refused however to allow CHICOMS to state that mission had come at GFRC invitation.

F) No financial or other agreements were made, although one unconfirmed report has it that CHICOMS made offer of financial assistance. According to Woo, FONMIN told him CHICOMS did not specifically request diplomatic recognition, but pressed rather for GFRC to send a goodwill mission to Peking.

Woo says that he was received cordially by both Ahidjo and Balla; former assuring him there was no change in GFRC relations with Taipei and latter stressing the difficulties encountered in dealing with the CHICOMS, saying he often had impression he was talking to the deaf. Ahidjo told Woo of measures he took to limit activities of CHICOMS during visit. While Woo feels considerably better about situation and believes no deal was made, as he once expected, he is obviously concerned about the /future

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future and keeps stressing the need to dissuade the GFRC from sending the announced goodwill mission to Peking. Woo says he repeatedly emphasized to Ahidjo and Balla dangers involved in dealing with CPR. Apparently as a test of feeling towards his government Woo is giving large reception on October 10 to which many GFRC officials invited. Woo now attributes Balla's attitude reported in EMBTEL 116 to fact that when he was being received by Balla CHICOMS were waiting in another office and Balla feared two representatives might meet.

From conversations had with Tobie Kuoh, and Betayene the more moderate officials in the government were not aware of impending CHICOM visit and are seriously alarmed by developments. Betayene now sees his dismissal from office last year as a prelude to CHICOM rapprochement, a "plot" engineered by Kanga, Minister of Finance. As proof of Kanga's duplicity Betayene charges that Kanga exceeded his instructions when he went on a goodwill mission to Moscow last year by discussing the establishing of Embassies in Yaounde and Moscow, whereas Kanga was to limit his talks to trade and cultural agreements. (This raises the unanswered question as to whether Ahidjo gave Kanga other instructions).

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In an editorial of September 28, which was obviously designed to undermine UPC morale, the official news agency, Agence Camerounaise de Presse, interpreted the CHICOM visit as "the knell of the rebellion in Cameroon" pointing out that with the development of friendship and cooperation between the GFRC and CPR the "isolated rebels" could not longer hope for aid from Peking. The editorial claimed that the joint communique was a "victory" for the realistic and firm policy of Ahidjo since the CHICOM mission was well informed of his policy before coming to Cameroon and comments that the CPR also follows a political policy of "realistic wisdom". The editorial also stressed the non-alignment policy of the GFRC, but omitted any reference to the need of proof of the ending of CHICOM support for the UPC as a condition for recognition. (See reference telegrams 116 and 119).

Comment: Both GFRC and CPR appeared to have played it cool during the CHICOM visit, but left door very much open for future talks. It is doubtful if any firm agreements were made, but it seems highly likely the GFRC has its hopes raised that CHICOMS will cease supporting the UPC with discussions on

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this subject being broader and deeper than our limited information indicates. GFRC rapprochement with CPR fits in with the GFRC policy of non-alignment and Ahidjo's desire not to be out of the main stream of African politics in this regard, especially as a protection against those extremist African countries, i.e. Ghana, Mali, Guinea, which heretofore have actively opposed his regime. Moreover, GFRC presence at such conferences Cairo and Bandung no longer leaves field open to UPC as was case in past. Non-alignment is generally viewed with favor in all Cameroon circles.

Internal pressures may also be a motivating factor, although it has been impossible so far to identify any individuals or cliques as being pro-Peking as distinct from pro-Moscow. It seems probable that the prospect of financial aid "with no strings attached" has considerable appeal to Kanga and many of the young elite, who claim to be and, who may genuinely be, disillusioned with the results of the UNCTAD conference. The recognition of CPR by the UK and France helps the Cameroonians of course in ratifying their new position.

This shift in policy it seems to me has injected a new element into the political life of the country, with the moderate elements beginning to doubt the political wisdom of Ahidjo and fearing that the pro-communist extremists have an inside track in controlling the apparatus of government. This fear together with tribal and religious factors of Cameroon political life could well broaden the base of opposition to Ahidjo, a development the President may not have foreseen and one which could cause him real trouble in the Presidential electoral period ahead.

Despite whatever assurance Ahidjo may have given Woo re no policy change vis-a-vis Nationalist China, GFRC seems definitely on road to come to some agreement with CHICOMS be it two-China position or otherwise within a year.

(Department telegram 91 and Department telegram 589 just received will be subject following message.)

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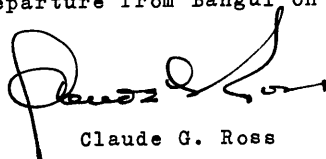
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FROM : AmEmbassy BANGUI DATE: October 3, 1964

SUBJECT: Text of Departure Address of Lu Hsu CHANG, Chief, Chicom Good Will Mission to CAR.

REF : Embtel 164.

Transmitted herewith is an informal English translation of the brief farewell address delivered by the Chief of the Chinese Communist Good Will Mission to the Central African Republic, Lu Hsu Chang, on the occasion of the Mission's departure from Bangui on September 29.


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FAREWELL SPEECH OF LU HSU CHANG, CHIEF OF THE GOOD
WILL MISSION OF THE CHINESE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC

BANGUI, September 29, 1964

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We, the Good Will Mission of the People's Republic of China, have come to visit the Central African Republic bearing with us sincere friendship from 650,000,000 Chinese. Now we are leaving your beautiful country, carrying with us the profound sentiments of friendship which the Central African people have shown for the Chinese people. During these recent days we have been immersed in the ocean of Sino-Central African friendship. Wherever we have gone we have been the object of a warm welcome from the Central African people. At this moment of departure may I be permitted to offer my sincere thanks to the Central African Government and people.

Although brief, our stay in your country has left a profound impression upon us. The Central African Republic is a country rich in resources and full of hope. The Central African people are a hard working, courageous, and awakened people. They have waged a long, heroic struggle for the conquest of their independence. After attaining independence, they have worked unceasingly to protect it and to develop their national economy and have met with remarkable success. The Chinese people rejoice from the bottom of their hearts for these accomplishments of the Central African people and warmly hope that under the leadership of President Dacko they will realize still further and greater success toward independent development.

Dear friends, the Chinese and the Central African peoples have had the same experience since they have both suffered from the aggression and oppression of imperialism. They have always sympathized and supported each other mutually in the prolonged struggle against imperialism and colonialism. And now they face together the common tasks which are the consolidation of national independence, the development of national economies, the struggle against imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism, the strengthening of Afro-Asiatic Solidarity, and safeguarding world peace. In this common cause we must sustain and mutually help one another. The recent visit to China of the Central African Good Will Mission cleared the way for relations of friendship and cooperation between the two countries. Our present trip to the Central African Republic has reinforced this friendship and mutual comprehension

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between our two countries and yielded encouraging results. This development of relations of friendship and cooperation not only conforms to the common aspirations of our two peoples but constitutes as well an important contribution to the cause of Afro-Asiatic solidarity against imperialism.

Finally, may I express my best wishes for the prosperity of the Central African Republic and the happiness of its people.

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Understand from several sources that while in Bangui members CHICOM delegation asked very few questions about French activity here, considerably more about US and many about Israelis.

In our case they interested in such things as size of Mission, what contacts we have with Central Africans, whether latter, particularly young people, come to homes Embassy personnel, whether COCAR attempts control these contacts and "imperialist indoctrination" its citizens, whether Embassy has own radio facilities, whether we sending young Mesan leaders to states, etc.

In case of Israelis questions centered around why Israel here, how Israelis regarded by Central Africans, how many their technicians army officers, what relationship technicians have with Israelis Embassy, what they teaching JPN, what training techniques they using, etc.

Will be noted general focus CHICOM attention seemed be on Central African youth and influences to which presently exposed.

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Control: 25791
Rec'd: September 30, 1964
12:39 p.m.

FROM: Bangui

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DATE: September 30, 4 p.m.

Reference: Embassy telegrams 141, 155 and 163.

Bangui 165

(RMR) CHICOM "good will" mission to CAR which arrived Bangui evening September 24 composed following eight (not six as earlier reported by local media) members according GRC Charge:

Lu Hsu Chang, Vice Minister Foreign Commerce;

Ying Hsien Liu, Diplomat;

Ho Pao Chung, "Delegation Member";

Chang Hsi Cheng, Civil Servant;

Yeh Hung Liang, Interpreter;

Yen Ting Chang, Diplomat;

Wang Wei, NCNA Correspondent;

Hsu Wei Chin, Officer.

After impressive airport welcome, and audience with President Dacko following day which local press accorded low key treatment,

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mission shown usual development projects in Bangui vicinity such as Israeli sponsored National Pioneer Youth Club and Headquarters at Kolongo, Central African National Youth (JENCA) Camp and French-staffed Agricultural Development Station at Boukoko.

From ceremonial point of view high point of visit until signing of agreements September 29 appeared be reception given by National Assembly President Adama-Tamboux evening September 27 with three CAR Ministers attending. In toasts exchanged on this occasion Adama-Tamboux expressed modest hope that two countries might engage in future "Parliamentary exchanges" and noted "excellent relations" which had begun with recent visit of CAR delegation to Peking (EMBTEL 28), adding that it remained for his Government to "establish the precise nature of relationships between the two countries." Lu in responding said only that delegation would take away with them "sincere friendship of CAR people toward Chinese people and an unforgettable memory" of their visit.

Negotiations toward conclusion specific agreements well shielded from public and announcement of signing ceremony, particularly statement that exchange ambassadorial level representation envisaged, clearly took observers including diplomatic and press by surprise. From usually reliable source we understand mission given dinner by President Dacko Monday evening which not publicized and at which final details of agreements and communique presumably ironed out. Fact that one hour before ceremony Bangui radio was announcing that mission scheduled visit Bimbo near Bangui immediately prior departure for Brazzaville might indicate haste with which ceremony laid on.

Mission left Bangui on schedule September 29. Lu's airport remarks on departure follow by separate telegram.

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RESULT VISIT CHICOM MISSION TO YACUNDE IS DECISION CAMEROON
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FRENCH INFORMED HOWEVER THAT THESE RELATIONS UNLIKELY BE
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DATE: September 25, 5 p.m.

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CHICOM "good will" mission composed, according local radio, of six members, arrived Bangui September 24 from Yaounde. Given enthusiastic welcome at airport by Minister Foreign Affairs Gmelin, Minister Development Pagan, other high CAR officials and Moban contingents. Head of delegation Lu Tzu Chang made following statement in Chinese, translated by another member mission: "It is great honor for us come visit your beautiful country to transmit to central African people sincere friendship of 650 million Chinese. Permit me express my thanks SOCAR for its kind invitation. Chinese government and people recently had great joy receive CAR good will mission whose visit China marked good and encouraging beginning friendly relations our two countries. We sure that following our visit here, relations of friendship and cooperation China CAR will know a new development."

CHICOM mission expected remain Bangui until September 29 and will be received by President Doko.

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Apithy informed me yesterday question recognition Communist China or acceptance CHICOM Trade Mission in Dahomey not raised during recent visit CHICOM goodwill mission here and no present intention GRD do either. This view also confirmed in subsequent conversation with Minister of Justice Adande and with Adotevi, Directeur de Cabinet in Ministry Foreign Affairs, although Adotevi hinted matter GRD relations with Communist China had been discussed in Council Ministers. Appears GRD relations with CHICOMS now secondary in importance to those with East Germany with whom definite agreement for exchange permanent trade missions recently signed but not yet ratified.

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Dept concerned that GFRC may be moving toward establishment diplomatic relations Chicoms. Such shift in position particularly disturbing view its past opposition to Peiping due known Chicom subversive efforts within GFRC (for example urtel 110). - POL 7 CHICOM
XR POL 16 CHICOM

In your discretion you should express our concern at opportune time to President or high level Foreign Office drawing on following as appropriate:

USG fully aware decision this nature wholly one for individual country observing make. However US has had considerable experience/observing Chicoms and as good friends we interested that/in arriving at ~~their~~ its decision ~~their~~ should not ~~misunderstand~~ or misread ~~their~~ true motivations and goals of Chicoms as expressed in their own words.

Peiping, while often giving appearance of proper behavior in government-to-government relations, has specifically stated that "...people still living under imperialist and ~~their~~ capitalist system who comprise two-thirds of worlds population, need to make revolution." (Mathematically, this statement

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INFO ON CHICOM MISSION AS REPORTED YAOUNDE'S REFTEL.

DIRECTOR CONSIDERED CAMEROONIAN RECOGNITION CHICOMS LIKELY
QUID PRO QUO OF PEIPING "COMMITMENT" CEASE SUPPORT OF UPC
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VALIDITY.

COMMENT: EMB HAS REASON BELIEVE THAT TECHNICIANS IN QUAI
AND FOCCART'S AFRO-MALAGASY SECRETARIAT DO NOT CONSIDER
PROLIFERATION CHICOM MISSIONS IN EX-FRENCH AFRICA SERVES
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FRENCH INDICATED TO UAM AFRICANS THAT THEY NOT BEING PRESSED
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CURRENT LINE THAT FRENCH GOVT MUST DRAW RATIONAL CONCLUSION
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Rec'd: September 24, 1964
7:00 p.m.

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ACTION: Senstate 116 Pri. info
INFC: Paris 34
 Beijing 4
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DATE: September 24, 3 p.m.

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Reference: Embassy's teletype 110 and 111

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After being evasive for three days concerning purpose and purpose of Chinese Communists in the case, CERO has taken wraps off delegation in official bulletin press story of September 23 reporting that mission of eight headed by Lohu Chang, Vice Minister of Foreign Committee from Peking, had been in Cameroon since Sunday, had had discussions with Foreign Minister on possibility of a trade and developing relations between the two countries and had attended reception given in delegation honor by the Foreign Minister. Story then commented that one common goal had this latest visit of a mission from the People's Republic of China with the last position taken by President Ahidjo on the question of recognizing Communist China, namely that at his press conference of last February at which time the President said: "If we do not recognize Communist China it is not because it is Communist but because it is interfering. Through subversion in our internal affairs and if given proof that Communist China was no longer interfering."

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interfering in our affairs we would see no inconvenience to its recognition, to its admission to the UN, because we are not professionally anti-Communist. The article concluded by saying one awaits that this first visit should put relations between Communist China and Cameroon in the perspective of the cooperation sought by the Chinese.

At meeting I had with Secretary General Foreign Ministry he declined comment on meaning of press story other than that question of recognition was at heart of discussions still going on and said a communique might or might not be issued on departure Chinese Communist mission. From other sources in Ministry, learned talks were "tough" and Cameroonians had confronted Chinese Communists with proof subversion mentioned Embassy's telegram 110.

China's Ambassador Woo who managed see Foreign Minister Balla briefly found Foreign Minister's attitude very changed since previous meeting reported Embassy's telegram 110 and received impression a deal was in the works. Balla said he would refer to his government (i.e., Ahidjo) Woo's request that official recognition not be given to Chinese Communist mission by issuance of joint communique at time departure. Woo depressed by announcement made of Foreign Minister's reception for delegation, which took place despite earlier assurance that no official functions would be had. (Only Cameroonian officials, no foreign diplomats, were invited to reception.) Balla promised receive Woo again on Friday, September 25, after talks completed and Chinese Communists departed.

French Ambassador claims no French involvement in visit, although he aware that Chinese Communists first approached GFRG on subject at Djakarta preparatory conference for second Bandung meeting (see our A-156). French believe it was AFP

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Comment: At this stage, one is left to surmise and speculate. Communique, if issued, should reveal GERC intentions as to Chinese Communist recognition, which seems fairly probable, either now or later, given nature of official press story. If Ahidjo runs true to form in delaying decisions or in postponing announcement of same, recognition would probably come later. While French have set recognition precedent, heart of matter apart from Chinese Communist withdrawal UPC support may be Chinese Communist offer financial assistance and prospect of reaping benefits by playing off western, Soviet and Chinese Communist aid donors one against the other. Recognition of course fits into (#) GERC, but is contrary to seemingly realistic appreciation (#) expressed in sorocr* Ahidjo and officials in Foreign Ministry.

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*As received, correction to follow.

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10:19 p.m.

FROM: Yaounde

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INFO: Paris 33 Priority
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Bangui 11 Priority
Lagos 32 Priority
Accra 5 Priority
Lomé 6 Priority
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DATE: September 23, 6 p.m.

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Reference: Embassy's Telegram 110 -

Chinese Communist delegation scheduled depart for Bangui September 24. Detailed telegram following concerning today's press announcement of discussions held which indicates possibility GRCG considering recognition of Communist China.

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ACTION: Secstate 129

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FONMIN Guimali informed me yesterday CHICOM Delegation (EMBTEL 72) expected arrive Bangui September 24. He described both Bassemoungou mission to Peking and CHICOM visit here as no more than "prises de contact" and stressed no change contemplated GOCAR policy toward CHICOMS as of now. His remarks, however, seemed invite inference (and we can reasonably assume) that GOCAR's present China policy will eventually be reviewed in light of above contacts and of MINFINANCE Bornou's current mission to Taipei (Embassy's A-30). I intend raise subject again with President Dacko whom I hope see tomorrow.

In ensuing discussion CHIREP issue Guimali stated GOCAR continues firmly support two Chinas thesis. He expressed serious personal doubt that CHICOMS could at present qualify for membership in UN as "peace-loving nation".

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Chinese Communist "good-will" mission eight persons arrived Yaounde from Accra September 20 without prior publicity, although rumor rife previous day as to possible visit. Chinese Nationalist Ambassador Woo immediately asked Foreign Minister for explanation presence delegation and was told by Foreign Minister Balla Chinese Communists had been repeatedly requesting permission visit Cameroon and after due consideration President Ahidjo had agreed brief visit in order confront Chinese Communists with documentary proof their support UFG rebels, demand explanation and then send delegation on its way. Balla showed Woo documentation (impressive) which Ahidjo had just turned over to him with instruction he confront delegation today. Balla did not know if Ahidjo would subsequently receive delegation, which is being subjected unusual police protection.

Balla assured Woo that GFRC under no illusions as to Chinese Communist political intentions Africa and subversive role it was playing Congo (L) and elsewhere.

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Comment: Assume Chinese Communist mission is same group which has been touring West African countries. Tactic of confronting delegation with evidence of subversion is one GPRC used previously on Ghana "good-will" mission. Since Chinese Communist not getting much mileage out of support UPC terrorist movement, delegation could have in mind offer drop support UPC in exchange for GPRC recognition, which might tempt AHidjo as means settling or further limiting terrorist problem before presidential election next year. GPRC also concerned over fairly large number Cameroonian students in Peiping. Have not detected so far any French involvement in visit; at least French intelligence source seemed genuinely surprised at delegations arrival. Will report further.

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DATE: September 20, 1964

SUBJECT : Joint Communique of the Chicom "Good Will" Mission and the Government of Dahomey

REF : Embtel 47

Enclosed is the text of the joint communique issued at the conclusion of the visit of the Chicom good will mission to Dahomey, September 8-13. According to Dahomean press reports, the joint communique was signed by Lu Hsu-Tchang, vice minister of foreign commerce and leader of the Chicom good will mission and Moibi Lassissi, interim Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The Department will recall that the Chicom good will mission included, in addition to Lu Hsu-Tchang, Lai Ya-Lu, Chicom Ambassador to Mali; Hsu-Wei Chin and Yen Ting Chang, secretaries in the Chicom Embassy in Mali; Yeh Hung Laing and Pan Su Wang, members of the Chicom Embassy, Accra; and Liu Tso-Wan, correspondent of the Chicom News Agency.

During its six-day visit, the Chicom Mission was received by President of the Republic APITHY, President of the Council ANOMADEGBE, Minister of Social Affairs PAOLETTI, and Interim Minister of Foreign Affairs LASSISSI.

Aside from its cordial and even effusive tone, the principal feature of the communique is its announcement that the GRD has accepted the Chicom invitation to send a governmental good will mission to Peking. There are unconfirmed reports here that the President (Apithy) also agreed to the establishment of a Chicom diplomatic mission in Dahomey. As pointed out in the reference telegram, there is a strong possibility that this may occur, although a final decision in this sense will depend on the evolution of the internal situation in Dahomey, which will be the subject of a separate airgram.

Attachment: Communique

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"Sur l'invitation du gouvernement de la République du Dahomey une mission de bonne volonté de la République Populaire de Chine conduite par S.E. Monsieur LOU Siu-Tchang vice-ministre du commerce extérieur et comprenant Son Excellence Monsieur LAI-YALI ambassadeur au Mali, a effectué du 8 au 13 Septembre 1964, une visite d'amitié au Dahomey.

Durant son séjour, la mission de bonne volonté de la République Populaire de Chine a été reçue par Son Excellence Monsieur Sourou-Migan APITHY, Président de la République du Dahomey, Son Excellence Monsieur Justin AHOMADegbe Tometin, vice-président de la République et président du conseil, et Son Excellence Monsieur Mofbi LASSISSI, ministre des travaux publics, des transports, des postes et télécommunications, assurant l'intérim du ministre des affaires étrangères.

La mission de bonne volonté et de la République Populaire de Chine s'est rendue à Abomey où elle a apprécié le musée historique et s'est recueillie sur la tombe du roi BEHANZIN au Palais de Djimè. Elle a visité l'huilerie de palmes de Gbada et le village lacustre de Ganvié.

Au cours d'une réunion de travail groupant la mission de bonne volonté de la République Populaire de Chine et une délégation gouvernementale Dahoméenne conduite par Monsieur Théophile PAOLETTI, ministre de la fonction publique, du travail et des affaires sociales, il a été procédé à un large échange de vue sur le renforcement des relations d'amitié et le développement de la coopération économique, technique et culturelle entre les deux pays. Les entretiens se sont déroulés dans une atmosphère empreinte de cordialité et d'amitié.

Les deux parties estiment que le développement de leurs relations d'amitié et de coopération est non seulement conforme aux intérêts communs de leurs peuples, mais contribuera également au renforcement de la solidarité afro-asiatique et au maintien de la paix mondiale.

Au nom du gouvernement, la mission de bonne volonté de la République Populaire de Chine, a invité le gouvernement dahoméen à envoyer une mission gouvernementale de bonne volonté visiter la République Populaire de Chine. Le gouvernement dahoméen a accepté cette invitation.

La mission de la République Populaire de Chine exprime ses sincères remerciements au gouvernement et au peuple dahoméens pour l'accueil chaleureux et hospitalier qu'ils ont bien voulu lui réserver".

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Reference: EMBTEL 46 to Department; 4 Lome; 2 Abidjan; 2 Niamey;
1 Ouagadougou; 14 Paris.

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Took opportunity call on Ahomadegbe yesterday to raise question implications recent visit CHICOM "good will" mission to Dahomey. Previous day, Dahomean press published text joint communique signed by Lu Hsu-tchang, CHICOM Vice-Minister Foreign Commerce and Moibi Lassissel, interim Minister Foreign Affairs in absence Lozes who is in Moscow. Among other things, communique (1) emphasized discussion which had taken place between CHICOM good will mission and GRD delegation relative to development of economic, technical and cultural cooperation between two countries; (2) asserted development this cooperation would contribute to strengthening Afro-Asian solidarity and maintenance world peace; and (3) revealed GRD had accepted CHICOM invitation to send governmental good will mission to Peking (text being pouched).

Ahomadegbe gave negative response my question as to whether communique foreshadowed shift in Dahomey's foreign policy but made clear that this negative response was made in sense it had never been policy his government to exclude establishment diplomatic relations with Communist China. Stated that while GRD itself would not seek establishment of mission in Dahomey, nevertheless

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nevertheless could not reject request made by CHICOMS. Ahomadegbe played all familiar themes "Two-Chinas" insisting that GRD had no desire to see withdrawal of any mission from Dahomey but could not ignore existence of more than six hundred million people living in Mainland China to benefit of only 12 million in Taiwan. GRD believed in living in peace and friendship with all people and saw no reason why Taiwan and Peking regimes could not be present in Dahomey at same time.

Ahomadegbe did not appear to be impressed by my argument that Peking had shown little disposition to live at peace with its neighbors and that its current policies were directed to encouragement of rebellion and inciting subversion in Africa and elsewhere. He stated that same things had been said earlier of Soviet Union but he had no reason to complain of conduct of Soviet Mission in Dahomey. He contended that there were no "native" Communists in Dahomey and that while Dahomean students like all youth were inclined to mouth leftist expressions, he felt that Chinese Communists would have no field for conduct subversive actions in Dahomey.

Comment: Above statement Ahomadegbe's views removes any illusions Embassy and others may have had that President of Council will be formidable obstacle to Apithy-inspired moves to recognize Communist China. As Embassy has previously emphasized, absence ability to show any real forward movement in comparison previous regime, present government is tending to increasingly leftist tone as means giving some satisfaction to its critics. I have no doubt that, if situation demands, Ahomadegbe will be prepared accept CHICOM mission in Dahomey as action which will reduce pressures his critics and cost little in terms possible loss CHINAT technical team currently here on rice culture project.

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DATE: September 14, noon

CHICOM Mission left for Accra Sunday by plane which brought CHINAT Theatrical troupe. Airgram follows.

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CHICOM MILITARY VISIT

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CONTACT AHT LIU YA-LOU VISIT TO PAK ARMY HQ PLAYED BY PAKS
IN "LOW KEY." "COURTESY CALL" ON MUSA AND CONDUCTED TOUR OF
CHAKLALA AND AXILA ARRANGED.

2. REPLYING TO QUERY ABOUT LIMITED NATURE OF TOUR, PAK
OFFICER SAID PAK BUSINESSMEN GOING TO CPR PREVENTED FROM
TALKING WITH UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS OR SEEING THINGS NOT ON
OFFICIAL PROGRAM. LIU YA-LOU GIVEN SAME TREATMENT DURING
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1. BRITISH REPORT THEY HAVE HEARD FROM "HIGH, USUALLY RELIABLE SOURCE" THAT ARRANGEMENTS FOR CH ZOM AIR GENERAL LIU YA-LOU VISIT WERE MADE BY PIA HEAD NUR KHAN WHO PERSUADED PRESIDENT AYUB OF DESIRABILITY INVITATION IN TERMS PIA RELATIONS WITH CHICOMS.

2. PESHAWAR SAYS HARD INFO ON LIU'S ACTIVITIES STILL UNAVAILABLE. SENIOR PAF OFFICERS STUDIOUSLY AVOIDING SUBJECT IN ENCOUNTERS WITH SPENGLER. RECEPTION GIVEN LIU BY CFN 527 210 170 34 23 12 1:30 520 1 LIU YA-LOU PIA NUR KHAN PIA 2 LIU'S PAF LIU

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3. SPENGLER SPOKE TO TWO OF THESE GUESTS, GHULAM MOHAMMAD KHAN, FRIENDLY US-EDUCATED PESHAWAR INDUSTRIALIST AND SAEED KHAN, RETIRED CIVIL ENGINEER. HE REPORTED FOLLOWING:

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A. GHULAM MOHAMMAD STATED CHINESE FRIENDLY AND AFFABLE THROUGHOUT, LEFT GENERALLY FAVORABLE IMPRESSION. SENIOR CHICOMS SPOKE NO ENGLISH BUT INTERPRETERS FLUENT IN ENGLISH, AND IN URDU. SOURCE DESCRIBED AFFAIR AS "CONGENIAL" THOUGH NOTHING SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSED IN HIS HEARING. CHINESE REFRAINED PUSHING ANY "LINE" EVEN WHEN AIR MARSHAL JOCLARLY INTRODUCED HIM TO CHINESE AS "ONE OF OUR CAPITALISTS."

B. SAEED KHAN ADMITTED TO SPENGLER WITH SOME EMBARRASSMENT HAVING ATTENDED BUT PASSED OFF AFFAIR AS CORDIAL SOCIAL EVENT WITH CHINESE HAVING LITTLE TO SAY EVEN THROUGH INTERPRETERS. MCCONAUGHY.

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SUMMARY:

A Chinese Communist goodwill mission led by Vice Minister of Foreign Trade Lu Hsu-Chang visited Nigeria September 2-7. They spoke with several Ministers but did not see either the Prime Minister or the Minister of External Affairs. They were accorded approximately the same treatment as the Chinese Nationalist delegation that was here early in August.

The Peking mission stimulated a comment from the Minister of State for External Affairs (BAMALI) that Nigeria was "giving serious consideration" to establishing an Embassy in Communist China. The Embassy, however, does not believe Nigeria is likely to change her "two Chinas" policy soon or to open a mission in Peking in the near future. Private comments of Ministry of External Affairs officials confirm this view but also suggest that Nigeria and other African states are giving fresh consideration to the problem of Chinese representation at the UN and its associated organs. According to an unconfirmed CAS report, a Soviet Embassy official visited the Ministry of External Affairs the day the Chicoms departed to counsel Nigeria against establishing relations with Red China.

II. PUBLIC ASPECTS OF THE VISIT

The Nigerian Government announced the arrival of a three-man Chinese Communist goodwill mission on August 31 (Dmbtel 381). It was stated to consist of Lu Hsu-Chang (Vice Minister

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of Foreign Trade), Lai Ya-Li (Ambassador to Mali), and Hsi Yung (Commissioner for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries). According to a press photograph, six Chinese arrived. Embassy officers later saw five at the Ministry of External Affairs.

The mission was scheduled to call on Foreign Minister Wachuku, Minister of Economic Development Waziri Ibrahim, Minister of Commerce and Industry Dipcharima, Minister of Information Benson, and two Ministry of External Affairs officials, Minister of State Bamali and head of the Asia Division Eneli. They were also to visit Ibadan and attend a state dinner given by Bamali. In fact, however, they did not see Foreign Minister Wachuku, who has been in the Eastern Region struggling for his parliamentary seat, but they did make the other official calls. They were to have stayed in Nigeria until September 9, but they left on the 7th, missing the scheduled trip to the University of Ibadan and the state banquet. Their departure time suggests that they took a Ghana Airways flight to Accra. This would explain the arrival in Dahomey on September 9 of an eight-man Communist Chinese goodwill mission coming from Ghana (Cotonou's 44).

When the delegation called on Minister of State Bamali, he told them--according to a Ministry of Information press release--that "The Federal Government is giving serious consideration to the establishment of an Embassy in the Communist Republic of China". He also described as "baseless and without foundation" allegations that Nigeria hated Communist countries. He said in conclusion that "Nigeria would welcome any economic aid from any country in the world provided no strings are attached to such aids". In reply, Chang is reported to have expressed Peking's "ardent desire" to establish an Embassy in Nigeria and that it would welcome a Nigerian Embassy in Peking. He said that his country was prepared to help Nigeria in her economic, technical, trade, and industrial development. He claimed that "China has a tremendous respect for the sovereignty of African nations" and stated that "the Chinese Government had always based itself on the principle of equality and mutual benefit in providing aid to other countries".

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In a later call, the Ministry of Economic Development, Chang reportedly invited Minister Ibrahim to visit China. When Chang called at the Ministry of Information, Minister Benson described Nigerian foreign policy as "that of non-alignment", stressed the need of closer cooperation between Nigeria and the People's Republic of China, and stated that "Nigeria does not discriminate against any country on the question of opening of embassies". According to

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the official release, Chang responded that his country "was anxious to have economic ties with Nigeria" and that it shared Nigeria's foreign policy of being friendly to all nations.

III. THE PRESS RELEASES

The press releases (full texts attached) were issued by the Ministry of Information rather than the Information Division of the Ministry of External Affairs. Embassy officers calling on three heads of Divisions in the Ministry of External Affairs the day Bamali's statement was published found them unaware that an official release had been issued. One of them, Godfrey Eneli of the Asia Division, later remarked privately to the Political Counselor that the Bamali release was issued without the knowledge of Ministry officials and that it was "unfortunate".

Since there had been no official statements about the meetings of the mission from Taipei in August (A-153), these two releases represented some deviation from the Nigerian Government's intention to treat the visits of both delegations equally (Embtel 290). It seems likely that Bamali, who is more politician than diplomat, may be largely responsible for their publication. Their appearance is likely to add further to the long and bitter wrangling between the two Ministries over responsibility for such news items.

IV. PRESS REACTION

The announcement of the Peking mission's arrival was noted in the Lagos press but excited almost no immediate comment. The only reaction came from the mercurial editor of the small circulation "Daily Telegraph". Although a frequent advocate of radical causes, in this instance he suggested that the Chinese be shown all due politeness and hurried on their way. He noted that in most of the areas where the Chicoms had been--the Congo, Ghana, Somalia, Tanganyika, Korea, and Vietnam--there was trouble.

The Bamali statement was carried prominently by all the papers. While there are advocates of Chinese Communist representation in the UN among the press and many radical-to-Communist sympathizers among the feature writers, there has as yet been minimum support for the exchange of diplomatic missions with Peking. Only one such article has appeared. It was by R.O.A. Akinjide, a critic of the US and frequent contributor to the "Times". He opened with the argument (which has been strongly pressed by External Affairs Minister Wachuku--USUN's Secto 53 of October 13, 1963) that Communist China cannot be isolated indefinitely. He then went on to discuss the Chinese revolution, describing it as "the first, greatest genuine peasant revolution in history" and "like the American War of Independence, one of the most significant events in modern times". After outlining

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Britain's reasons for establishing relations with Peking, he urged that Nigeria send a goodwill mission to Peking after the federal elections and follow this up by opening an embassy there.

V. PRIVATE OFFICIAL COMMENT

Embassy officers discussed the visit with several External Affairs officials: Mr. Jolaoso, head of the International Division; Mr. Obi, head of the Economic Division; and Mr. Eneli, head of the Asia Division as well as of the European and Western Division. Mr. Jolaoso remarked, in the context of a discussion of the next IAEA meeting, that relations with the People's Republic of China was under review. He added that other Ministries involved with UNESCO and UN activities were participating in the consideration of the problem. He did not indicate that a change in Nigeria's "two Chinas" policy is in the making but is believed to have been speaking in terms of the tactics of handling the Chinese representation issue in the UNGA and other UN organs.

Mr. Obi was questioned about the commercial and economic aspects of the visit. He stated that there had been no "formal" proposal for a trade agreement (but see below) and that Nigeria had not signed any economic, aid, or other accord. He indicated that the mission's talks with the Ministries of Economic Development and of Trade had not produced tangible results. He noted that there was a trade imbalance (Nigerian imports from Communist China are about \$1 million annually while exports are about £300,000) and said that an effort was being made to cut down on the import licenses issued for Peking. He observed that Nigerian exports were agricultural--mostly cocoa--and that none were of strategical interest.

Mr. Eneli was particularly forthcoming in a conversation with the Acting DCM (see memorandum of conversation, Appendix III). He stated that the Nigerian Government had felt obliged to receive the mission but that he did not think there were any results. The Chinese had brought a draft trade agreement for negotiation but were told that it would be "studied". This was not a new document. In fact, he said, it had been received earlier, along with other suggestions, by mail from the Chinese Communist Embassy in Accra. The Chinese had also proposed establishment of diplomatic relations and were informed that this was being "considered", with the implication that any decision was many months away.

Mr. Eneli affirmed that Nigerian policy--recognition of both Chinas but relations with neither--still stood. He said "Frankly" that one of the most important reasons for this was realization of how strongly America, its good friend, felt about the question. He confirmed that some form of review was in progress within the GON on the question of Chinese representation in the UN, and added that the whole issue was being considered on a continent-wide basis by the African foreign ministers; he thought it was discussed privately at the OAU meeting in Addis which just ended. He hoped that the

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general African position would be similar to Nigeria's "two Chinas" policy. He remarked that Africans generally are alarmed at Chinese Communist penetration of Africa, but he construed this as a reason why some feel that Peking should be seated in the UNGA "where it could be brought to book".

VI. SOVIET DEMARCHE

According to an unconfirmed CAS report (ANL-895) from a ranking member (F) of the External Affairs Ministry, a high official of the Soviet Embassy called at the Ministry of External Affairs the day the Chinese Communist mission left to counsel against Nigeria establishing diplomatic relations with Peking. He reportedly attacked the Chinese Communists, argued that nothing would be served by "recognizing" Red China, and that such action would only further divide African interests.

The Embassy has no confirmation of this report. It is noteworthy, however, that none of the Soviet supported organizations in Nigeria (the Socialist Workers and Farmers Party, the Nation Youth Congress, and the National Trade Union Congress) have made any comments on the visit of either Chinese mission. In contrast, as recently as last March, the National Youth Congress was condemning Nigeria's "two Chinas" policy.

VII. EVALUATION

The Embassy does not believe that Nigeria is now changing, or is about to change, its "two Chinas" policy. Prime Minister Balewa has on several occasions indicated his deep concern about Communist Chinese activities in Africa. External Affairs Minister Wachuku, while searching for some alternative to the exclusion of Peking from the UN, has equally strongly supported a "two Chinas" policy. Wachuku received the mission from Taipei, but did not see the Chicoms. Furthermore, Minister of Finance Okotie-Eboh has acted on the Nationalist Chinese mission's invitation to visit Taipei and recently stopped off at Formosa. In fact, he was in Taipei on his way to the IBRD meeting in Tokyo, while the Chicom mission was in Nigeria (see enclosed Reuters report). There is not likely to be any change in Nigerian policy in the near future unless there is a major increase in the parliamentary strength of the NCNC and AG parties at the next election, which seems improbable.

At the same time, it is quite possible that Nigeria will find it desirable to increase its contacts with Peking through trade and other means. The extent of these contacts would be affected, of course, by the international standing of the Chicoms and their incursions into Africa.

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VIII. ACTION REQUESTED

The Embassy would appreciate any information tending to confirm Mr. Eneli's remarks to the effect that African Foreign Ministers are currently considering the problem of relations with Communist China on a continent-wide basis and whether other Soviet missions in Africa may have taken a position on the issue similar to that reported by CAS here.

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Enclosures:

1. Appendix I, Federal Ministry of Information Press Release, September 3, 1964.
2. Appendix II, Federal Ministry of Information Press Release, September 5, 1964.
3. Memorandum of Conversation, September 10, 1964, of Mr. J. W. Bennett with Mr. Eneli, Head of Asia Division, EXTAFB.
4. Reuters report of September 4, 1964.

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NIGERIA MAY HAVE DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH COMMUNIST CHINA

The Federal Government is giving serious consideration to the establishment of an Embassy in the Communist Republic of China. This was disclosed this morning by the Minister of State for Foreign Affairs, Alhaji Senator Nuhu Bamali. The Minister who was speaking to the members of a Goodwill Mission from Communist China, in his office, added that his Government has wide plans to establish Embassies in the Far Eastern Countries. These include Japan where Nigeria has got "at present a Charge d'Affaires". Alhaji Bamali also said that Nigeria is considering the application of China to establish an Embassy in Lagos.

The Minister described as "baseless and without foundation" allegations that Nigeria hated Communist Countries. "We do not hate any country. We are friends to all. What we hate is interference by any other nation into our domestic problems" the Minister declared.

Alhaji Bamali said that China and Nigeria have common population problems. "While Nigeria has the largest population in Africa, China has the largest population in Asia."

The Minister described the goodwill mission as a landmark in the development of the mutual relations between Nigeria and China.

Finally Alhaji Nuhu Bamali said that Nigeria would welcome any economic aid from any country in the world provided no strings are attached to such aids.

Earlier the leader of the goodwill mission and China's Deputy Minister for Foreign Trade, Mr. Lu Hsu Chang had described Nigeria as a great country with rich potentialities. He expressed China's ardent desire to establish an Embassy in Nigeria and added that his country would welcome the establishment of a Nigerian Embassy in Peking.

He said that Nigeria and China are countries that were one time or the other dominated by imperialists. From the time they defeated the forces of Colonialism and economic slavery, both countries have identical problems of reconstruction and nation building.

Mr. Chang said that his country was prepared to help Nigeria in her economic, technical, trade, and industrial development. He added that China has a tremendous respect for the sovereignty of African nations.

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Finally, he told the Minister that the Chinese Government had always based itself on the principle of equality and mutual benefit in providing aid to other countries.

Later the Mission paid a courtesy call on the Federal Minister of Economic Development, Alhaji the Hon. Waziri Ibrahim in his office. An invitation to visit China was extended to the Minister by the leader of the Mission.

Other members of the Mission include His Excellency Mr. Lai Ya Li, Chinese Ambassador to Mali and Mr. Hsia Jung, Communist China's Deputy Director of the Commission for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries.

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CHINESE GOODWILL MISSION VISITS CHIEF T.O.S. BENSON

The Federal Minister of Information, Chief the Hon. T.O.S. Benson, has told the Chinese three-man goodwill mission now visiting the Federation that Nigeria's foreign policy is that of non-alignment.

The members of the mission today paid him a courtesy visit in his office.

The Minister said that Nigeria does not discriminate against any country on the question of opening of Embassies. He declared: "We are friends to all nations".

Earlier, Chief Benson stressed the need for closer co-operation between the Federal Republic of Nigeria and Chinese People's Republic.

Replying, the leader of the delegation, Mr. Lu Hsu-Chang, told the Minister that his Government is anxious to have economic ties with Nigeria. He said that that was why they had applied to open an embassy here in Nigeria. He then told the Minister that China also shares Nigeria's foreign policy of being friendly to all Nations.

Later, Mr. Hsu-Chang presented a piece of silk cloth and clay jug to the Minister. The Minister also made a presentation of a leather brief case containing information material and portraits of the President and Prime Minister to the delegation.

The mission which arrived here on Wednesday, September 2, leaves Nigeria on Monday, September 7.

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MemCon, September 10, 1964, of Mr. Josiah W. Bennett, LAGOS A-196
Emboff, with G.I.C. Eneli, Head Asia Division, EXTAF. Page 1

In the course of a farewell call on Mr. Eneli, I asked him what had been the results of the Chinese Communist "goodwill" mission which had just visited Lagos. Eneli said he didn't think there had been any results. He said that the Government had felt obliged to receive the mission and be friendly to it, particularly as it was simultaneously receiving a mission from Iran which it really welcomed.

I pressed Mr. Eneli as to whether commercial or technical assistance matters had been discussed. He said the Chinese Communists had been "more fortunate" than the Nationalists in that there had been more ministers in town than during the Nationalists' visit. They had been received at the Ministries of Commerce and Industry and Economic Development, but nothing tangible came from these meetings. The Chinese Communists had brought a draft trade agreement for negotiation and had been told that it would be "studied". Eneli said this draft was not a new document and that in fact the GON had received it earlier, along with other suggestions, by mail from the Chinese Communist Embassy in Accra.

The Chinese Communist delegation had a 2½-hour session with Permanent Secretary Nwokedi in the course of which they attempted to educate Mr. Nwokedi about their position on Taiwan. They had also proposed the establishment of diplomatic relations. The answer had been that this was being "considered". The Chinese were told that no decision of such importance could be taken during this pre-election period and were left with the implication that any decision was many months away (in an earlier conversation Eneli had said that the Chinese Communist request to establish a mission in Lagos had been "under consideration" for 2½ years). I asked Eneli whether the Nationalists, who had been here recently, had proposed establishment of diplomatic relations. He replied that Mr. Yang was a "very clever man" and did not raise any questions which might be answered with the reply he did not wish to hear.

I asked Eneli whether the Chinese Communists had issued invitations to Nigerian officials to visit the Chinese mainland. He said he assumed so, but did not know who the officials approached were.

Eneli commented two or three times that it seemed unlikely that, with Chinese Communist subversion in East Africa and the Congo and with Dr. Banda's recent excoriations of Peiping, any African country would want to establish relations with the Chinese Communists at this time. I asked him if he could affirm that

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Nigeria's policy as I understood it--to recognize the existence of both Chinese regimes but decline diplomatic relations with either--still stood. He said firmly that he could.

At about this point Eneli said that "frankly speaking" one of the most important reasons why Nigeria pursued its present policy toward Communist China was realization of how strongly the United States, its good friend, felt on the question. This gave me an opening to review American policy toward Communist China and the reasons why we recognized the Republic of China as the only legal Chinese government (Eneli several times had said that the GON "could not swallow" that Taipei could speak for the Chinese people as a whole). In developing this subject I tried to emphasize not only American experiences with Communist China but those of China's neighbors as well--Korea, Viet Nam, and India. I also went into the matter of the Warsaw talks and Peiping's long-standing refusal to renounce force in the Taiwan Strait. Eneli listened with evident interest, but made no particular comment.

I then raised Mr. Jolaoso's recent remark to Mr. Roberts that Nigerian policy on Chinese representation questions was under review. Eneli affirmed that some kind of review was in progress, and he added that the whole question was being considered on a continent-wide basis by the African foreign ministers. It had already come up, he noted, in discussions at the recent OAU foreign ministers' meetings, although never formally inscribed on the agenda. He expected that it was being discussed in the lobbies of the current OAU meeting in Addis Ababa and that it would be discussed at the forthcoming non-aligned conference in Cairo. I asked him whether he thought the general African position would be similar to that already adopted by Nigeria (i.e. "two Chinas") and he answered affirmatively. He went on to say, however, that Africans generally are alarmed at Chinese Communist penetration of Africa and that some take the view that the Chinese Communist threat is an additional reason why Peiping should be seated in the United Nations "where it could be brought to book".

I then referred to the African position on South African membership in the United Nations which I said seemed inconsistent with the foregoing. He agreed that it was but said that the African position on South Africa had changed somewhat: i.e., that South Africa should remain in the "political" councils such as the General Assembly, but should be excluded from UN agencies where African nations would be in the position of cooperating with it in technical projects with African countries. (He left the implication that a similar formula might be applied to the Chinese representation question.)

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I made the point that the two cases are not the same. South Africa is now a member of the United Nations, while Communist China is not. Furthermore, Communist China insists on the expulsion of the GRC at the price of its membership. Eneli agreed with all this as well as with my comment that to seat the Chinese Communists at the expense of expelling the GRC could have far-reaching and tragic consequences.

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REUTERS REPORT OF SEPTEMBER 4, 1964

TAIPEI, SEPT. 4 (AP) - The Foreign Office said Friday Nationalist China would continue to maintain friendly relations with Nigeria despite a lack of formal diplomatic relations between the two countries.

The Ministry spokesman told a news conference he knew nothing to confirm a press report from Nigeria saying ~~that~~ the African state would extend diplomatic recognition to Communist China.

The spokesman noted that Nigerian Finance Minister Festus Okotie-Eboh had just arrived in Taipei for an overnight visit to Formosa at the invitation of the Chinese Nationalist Government.

He said this was proof of the friendly relations between the two countries.

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CHICOM MILITARY VISIT

Vice Minister Defense

1. AIR ATTACHE GIVEN FOLLOWING INFORMATION RE VISIT PAKISTAN
CHICOM GENERAL LIU YA-LOU ON INITIATIVE PERSONAL SECRETARY
(PS) AIR MARSHAL ASGHAR KHAN DURING RECENT TRIP BY ATTACHE
TO PESHAWAR.

A) LIU YA-LOU VISIT ARRANGED AT INITIATIVE OF ASGHAR KHAN
AFTER INITIAL TRANSIT OF CHINESE THROUGH PAKISTAN EN ROUTE
RUMANIAN NATIONAL DAY FETE. KHAN ALLEGEDLY SAID HE THOUGHT
CHICOMS SHOULD BE INVITED IN VIEW GENERAL FRIENDLY
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RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES, PS CLAIMED, VISIT PURELY
FORMAL AND PROTOCOL IN CHARAVGER. UNCLEAR FROM CONVERSATION
WHETHER CHICOMS HAD ASKED FOR INVITATION.

B) PAKS TOOK EVERY PRECAUTION PREVENT CHINESE FROM SEEING
CLASSIFIED MAPS, MATERIALS, OR AIRCRAFT. ASGHAR KHAN'S
OFFICE REPORTEDLY CLEARED OF ALL MAPS, AIRPLANE MODELS
PRIOR LIU VISIT AND ALL SENSITIVE AIRCRAFT REMOVED FROM
AIRFIELD PRIOR ARRIVAL CHICOMS. ATTACHE REPORTS HE SHOWN
ASGHAR KHAN'S OFFICE WHICH WAS UNUSUALLY BARE. COMMANDER
6937TH COMM GROUP PESHAWAR CONFIRMS AIRFIELD CLEARED PRIOR
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C) CHICOMS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN MIFFED AT BEING PLACED IN INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL IN KARACHI RATHER THAN STATE GUEST HOUSE AND TO HAVE EXPRESSED IRRITATION TO PAKS. PS CLAIMED REASON FOR USE OF HOTEL WAS "SECURITY." STATE GUEST HOUSE WAS USED FOR LIU IN PESHAWAR.

2. GENERAL RUHLEN LEARNED IN RAWALPINDI THAT LIU HAD UZENT TWO HOURS IN MEETING THERE WITH PAK C-IN-C MUSA UNDER EXTRAORDINARILY CLOSE SECURITY PROTECTION.

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Re: CHICOM Delegation

Eight-man CHICOM goodwill delegation arrived by road by Accra last night in cars Ghana licenses CD 2702 and CD 2706. Ashanti driver of one car told us group plans to remain Cotonou one full week, indicating overlap with CHENAT theatrical group due September 13. Hotel manager where Chinese staying said group had not indicated day of departure but in her opinion they would be gone before 13th.

Chinese Charge Feng in talk with Embassy this afternoon also expressed view communist mission would depart by September 13, pointing to early arrival (September 8 rather than September 10 as originally scheduled) to support his view. Feng stated that in conversation with Ahonadegbe last week, on instructions of Taiwan he had protested in low key reception Peking group, emphasizing dangers of Chinese communist subversion and making clear that under no circumstances would GRC accept two China policy. While Feng feels optimistic Dahomey not contemplating recognition at this time appears somewhat worried events in Senegal where Chinese Charge declared persona non grata and in Malawi where Banda reportedly overthrown on Chinese issue may

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eventually have impact on general Dahomean attitude.

While Embassy has no precise information re treatment GRD plans for visitors, Feng resigned to probable reception by Apithy and Ahomadegbe. Does not, however, attach too much importance to this.

Comment. Embassy shares Feng's view GRD not contemplating recognition Communist China at this time. However, have requested early appointment with Ahomadegbe during which will discuss Chinese situation along lines Department Circular telegram 446.

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Reference: DEPCIRTEL 425.

As reported Embassy's A-27, CHICOM Vice-Minister Foreign Trade, Lu Hsu-Chang, arrived Bamako July via UTA flight from Paris. Also arriving as part delegation he headed was man identified as "Sha-Yuang, Departmental Vice Director of Commission for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries". It not clear if this man is identical with Hsi-Jung, reported in REFTEL as being Commissioner for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries. Delegation also included Chinese Ambassador to Mali, Lai Ya-Li and two individuals whose functions were not specified, Hsu Wei-Chin and Ho Pao-Chun. Tour, which is Lu's second visit to Mali, was said to have taken place at invitation of SOM. In his arrival speech Lu called his group the "Chinese Governmental Delegation of Friendship" (Delegation Gouvernementale d'Amitie de Chine) rather than a good-will mission (Mission de Bonne Volonte). Outside of front-page story appearing L'ESSOR July 15 from which above details were gleaned, delegation received little publicity.

We are attempting determine exact date departure. Delegation was still

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still in Mali August 6 when Lu Hsu Chang's presence was reported at ceremony laying cornerstone for housing CHICOM aid technicians (A-69).

Comment: It appears likely that Mali may have been used as staging area for Mission. If Chinese Embassy has been providing logistic and planning support, this would help explain Cotonou telegram 41 repeated Bamako 1 which noted that Government of Dahomey was telegraphing CHICOMS at Bamako to request postponement visit.

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DELEGATION OF 16 CHINESE COMMUNIST ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL
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ECONOMIES BOTH COUNTRIES AND STRENGTHEN FRIENDSHIP.

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THERE WAS NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF DURATION GROUPS STAY. ATTWOOD

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INFO : MOSCOW, HONG KONG, TAIPEI

FROM : Amembassy ANKARA

DATE: September 8, 1964

SUBJECT : Communist China

REF :

During a press conference on August 31, 1964 Deputy Prime Minister Kemal SATIR made the following statement in reply to a question regarding the recognition of Communist China:

"I shall not be able to answer the question on the recognition of Red China before the Government's decision is made public."

During a conversation on September 2 with Suphi MERIC, Deputy Director General of the Second Department (Afro-Asian Affairs) in the Foreign Ministry, Embassy officers referred to the above statement and asked if Meric could provide any background for it. He replied in the negative, saying simply that he also had seen the statement but could not elaborate on it.

In view of the importance of this subject, the Embassy will raise it with other knowledgeable officials in the Foreign Ministry and elsewhere in order to ascertain whether the Turkish Government is considering any modification of its policy of non-recognition of Communist China.

For the Ambassador:

Charles R. Tanguy
First Secretary of Embassy

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DATE: September 7, 1964

SUBJECT: Chicom Mission Visits Niamey

REF : INF 7 CHICOM - NIGER
Embassy's A-27, August 17, 1964; Depcirtel 425, Sept. 3, 1964
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A 7-man Chinese Communist delegation visited Niger from August 22 to August 29. The members were (with allowances for the differences in French and English spelling of Chinese names):

1. Lu (Lou) Hsu (Siu) Chang, born 1911 at Shanghai, Vice Minister of Foreign Commerce, Passport No. D 005546, dated June 19, 1964
2. Chang Hsi Chang, born 1937 at Shantung, Passport No. S 028771, dated May 11, 1964
3. Hsu Wei Chin, Born 1928 at Shanghai, interpreter, speaks French very well, Passport No. S 026505, dated November 18, 1963
4. Ho Pao Chung, Born in 1930 at Kwantung, Passport No. S 028272, dated April 21, 1964
5. Lai Ya Li, Chinese Ambassador to Mali, Born 1910 at Peking, Passport No. D 004015, dated February 20, 1961. Speaks French very well.
6. Yen Ting Chang, born in 1927 at Shanghai, diplomat, speaks French very well, Passport D 004043, dated March 8, 1961
7. Lin (Liu) Tso Wen, born 1939 at Hopei, New China News Agency Correspondent at Bamako, Passport No. 022866, dated June 23, 1961

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The last named was one of the two journalists who had been here several weeks ago, presumably paving the way for the delegation (Embassy's A-27). According to the French Embassy, all of the seven spoke reasonably good English.

Despite the fact that the delegation was here for a week (five working days), the Nigeriens kept them extremely busy with a round of calls and visits. These began with a Monday morning call on Boubou Hama, President of the National Assembly and the local parti unique, who, as President Diiori told Ambassador Ryan two days later, amused himself by delivering a lecture to the ever-smiling delegation on the general subject of China keeping its cotton-picking hands off Africa. Calls were eventually made on six ministers and the President, along with visits to everything from a pharmacy to a brickworks. The social side consisted of reciprocal hour-and-a-half cocktail parties by Courmo Barcougne, Minister of Finance and Economic Affairs, and by the Chinese Vice Minister.

The Chinese pressed hard for any and every form of recognition, as expected, including a resident commercial mission. They were rebuffed at every turn, even when they offered to buy large quantities of Nigerien crops, at which for once it was the Nigeriens who smiled. No agreement of any kind was signed during the visit.

President Diiori explained to Ambassador Ryan his Government's position on all bloc overtures in the past (including, for example, the USSR, Poland, Czechoslovakia, North Korea and Yugoslavia): Niger is not ready to have diplomatic representation here, including a nonresident accredited from, say, Bamako. Niger will not allow commercial representation until such time as commerce warrants it, i.e. let them come in and buy enough groundnuts to make it worthwhile first. As to diplomatic representation, that would come much later and in any event only after consultation with the Entente "comrades."

As the Embassy has remarked before, the Nigerien reception of the Chinese delegation was part of the general open door to the world policy, which sees nothing incongruous in providing such guests with a limousine from which the Red Chinese flag waves while driving around town, despite the policy of non-recognition and the presence of a Nationalist Chinese Embassy in town. In receiving them on their arrival, the Finance Minister said, "Today the entire world has its eyes opened, and we can go anywhere, cooperate with whom we wish." The Chinese public declarations stressed Afro-Asian solidarity and the mutual Sino-Nigerien experience of struggle against the imperialists, and let it go at that. The only remark that gags the Westerner slightly, was the parting one that, "the Chinese Government invariably pursues a foreign policy of peace. It struggles for pacific coexistence between countries with different social systems, opposes resolutely the policy of aggression and war of imperialism, and sustains the revolutionary struggle of all the oppressed peoples and nations of the world."

President Diiori hinted to Ambassador Ryan that there probably would be a Nigerien goodwill visit to mainland China. Later information indicates that this

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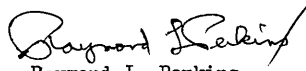
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may take place in late October or November. The President heads a fifteen man delegation to Bonn set for about October 6, after which perhaps two or three will be detached to make the Far East trip. It seems that Niger is already committed to a goodwill mission to North Korea, and that the group may stop off in China coming or going. Rumor has it that it will be headed by Public Works Minister Leopold Kaziende, and that in any event, it will consist of safe, responsible types--under the familiar tactic of moderate African governments in accepting the invitation for appearances' sake and then sending the right people.

For the Ambassador:


Raymond L. Perkins
Deputy Chief of Mission

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Une mission de la République Populaire de Chine, conduite par le Vice-Ministre LOU SIU TCHANG, vient d'effectuer, du samedi 22 au samedi 29 août, un séjour d'une semaine au Niger. La délégation chinoise a été accueillie le samedi 22 à l'aéroport par M. COURMO BARCOURGNE, Ministre des Finances et des Affaires Economiques de la République du Niger. Durant son séjour, la mission a rendu des visites de courtoisie au Président de la République, au Président de l'Assemblée et aux membres du Gouvernement, et a visité la B.D.R.N., les Sociétés étatiques et para-étatiques et divers organismes.

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I trust that you will do all in your power to ensure that countries now recognizing the GRC will continue this policy and that those not rpt not now recognizing Peiping will not rpt not move closer to Communist China. It is clear that the Chinese Communists are mounting a subtle, persistent offensive, particularly in Africa, with a view to improving their international position at the expense of the GRC. An official Chinese Communist goodwill mission now touring West Africa is trying to undermine the GRC position there. Malawi and Northern Rhodesia appear disposed to establish relations with Peiping.

I am sure you realize, as we move into the weeks preceding the General Assembly, that the GRC's status in the United Nations depends upon a solid international position. Moreover, it would be particularly dangerous for the peace of the world if Peiping were to be rewarded with recognition and admission to the UN at a time when the Chinese Communists are inciting

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INFO EMBTEL 142 WAS OBTAINED FROM BARAMOUNGON (BASSAMANGOU?) IN MEETING WITH JAPANESE AMBASSADOR ATTENDED BY US ARMY ATTACHE SERVING AS FRENCH-ENGLISH INTERPRETER.

AIRGRAM CONTAINING FULL ACCOUNT OF MEETING IS ENROUTE ALL ADDEES, BUT IN VIEW DEPT'S URGENT INTEREST CAR-PEIRING RELJTIONS WE HAVE EXTRACTED AND PARAPHRASED FOLLOWING PASSAGE CFN 145 3 8 23 2 85 425 142

PAGE 2 RUMJRV 26A C O N F I D E N T I A L
RE BARAMOUNGON RECEPTION PEIPING FROM MEMCON PROVIDED BY JAPANESE AMBASSADOR:

IN PEKING MISSION RECEIVED WITH HOSPITALITY AND GREETED BY MARSHAL CHEN YI AND OTHER HIGH RANKING OFFICIALS ON ARRIVAL. MARSHAL CHEN YI GAVE RECEPTION FOR MISSION TO WHICH ALL AFRICAN AMBASSADORS INVITED. DURING VISIT, THEY HAD DISCUSSIONS ON TECHNICAP ASSISTANCE IN MANY FIELDS. MISSION SIGNED AN AGREEMENT, SUBJECT TO HOME GOVT'S APPROVAL FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS INCLUDING EXCHANGE OF AMBASSADORS, AND SOME FORM OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION. DAY BEFORE DEPARTURE, MISSION RECD BY PRESIDENT LIU SHAO CHI IN FRIENDLY ATMOSPHERE; GP-3. BYROADE

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"VISIT OF CHICOM AIR FORCE C-IN-C

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PRESS SERVICE DESPATCHES (IDENTICAL APP AND PPA) DATED LINED
KARACHI AUGUST 31, APPEARING NATIONAL AND LOCAL PAPERS
SEPT 1, REPORTED BRIEF "TRANSIT" VISIT PAKISTAN BY GENERAL
LIU YA-LOW, CHICOM VICE-MINISTER DEFENSE AND C-IN-C
CHINESE AIR FORCE ACCOMPANIED BY TWO COLONELS. GROUP
REPORTEDLY PLANNED VISIT PESHAWAR AND CALL ON C-IN-C
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EVENING SEPT 2 FORMER PAK AMB ZIAUDDIN VISITED MACUK
AND REVEALED HE AND FORMER AMB ASLAM KHATTAK WERE ONLY
CIVILIANS GUESTS AT DINNER PARTY GIVEN NIGHT BEFORE BY
AIR MARSHAL ASGHAR KHAN FOR VISITING CHINESE. ALL OTHER
INVITEES SENIOR PAF OFFICERS. FOLLOWING DINNER ASGHAR
KHAN'S HOME, GROUP PROCEEDED PAF OFFICERS CLUB WARSAK
FOR FURTHER PARTYING WITH LARGER GATHERING PAF PERSONNEL.
(CONVERSATION INTERRUPTED AND UNABLE DEVELOP FURTHER DETAILS.)

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COMMENT: DINNER APPARENTLY ARRANGED SHORT NOTICE. CHIEF AIR SECTION MAAG HAD EARLIER INVITED PAK AIR COMMODORES AND OTHER SENIOR PAF OFFICERS STATIONED HERE TO DINNER SAME EVENING ON "REGRETS ONLY" BASIS. BY MORNING SEPT 1 ONLY ONE "REGRET" RECEIVED BY AFTERNOON ALL INVITEES HAD DECLINED, SOME EXPLAINING AN ABILITY ATTEND DUE TO SUPERSEDING "COMMAND FUNCTION."

PAGE THREE RUSBKP 319 C O N F I D E N T I A L
TO BEST OUR KNOWLEDGE CHINESE STAYED OVERNIGHT IN PAF
QUARTERS. NOT BOOKED DEAN'S HOTEL. ASSUME GROUP TRAVELED
PIA THOUGH POSSIBLY PAF. ENDEAVORING OBTAIN FROM ZIAUDDIN
AND KHATTAK FURTHER PERTINENT INFO INCLUDING COMPOSITION
CHINESE DELEGATION, DEGREE OF WARMTH WITH WHICH RECEIVED
AND ANY SIGNIFICANT COMMENTS.

INFORM AIRA: PASSAS DESIRED.
SIGNED SPENGLER
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CHICOM MILITARY VISIT

1. CHICOM AIR C- IN -C GENERAL LIU YA-LOU SPEND SEPTEMBER 1 IN PESHAWAR, FLEW TO RAWALPINDI MORNING OF SEPTEMBER 2 AND ARRIVED KARACHI LATE SAME DAY. LIU LEFT KARACHI ON PIA PLANE SEPTEMBER 4, ONE DAY LATER THAN ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED DEPARTURE TIME. PAK AIR MARSHAL ASGHAR KHAN MET LIU IN PESHAWAR AND HAS BEEN ACCOMPANYING HIM THROUGHOUT LATTER'S TRIP, STAYING AT SAME HOTEL WHILE IN KARACHI, ASGHAR KHAN GAVE RECEPTION FOR LIU IN PESHAWAR SEPTEMBER 1
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PAGE TWO RUSBKP 364 C O N F I D E N T I A L
AND KARACHI SEPTEMBER 2. NUR KHAN GAVE LUNCH FOR LIU SEPTEMBER 3. CHICOM'S RECIPROCATED WITH DINNER SAME NIGHT WHICH ALSO ATTENDED BY MFA SECRETARY AZIZ AHMED. LIU TAKEN ON TOUR PIA FACILITIES KARACHI SEPTEMBER 3..

2. NO FIRM INFORMATION YET AVAILABLE ON BACKGROUND AND REASONS FOR LIU VISIT, BUT INDICATIONS ARE VISIT WAS HASTILY SCHEDULED. ARRANGEMENTS IN KARACHI SUGGEST PROBABILITY OF SUBSTANTIVE TALKS BETWEEN ASGHAR KHAN AND LIU. MCCONAUGHY. GP-3
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Nigeria-CHICOM Relations

Minister State for Foreign Affairs Bamali, spokesman for Ministry External Affairs during continued absence Wachuku in eastern region, informed visiting CHICOM delegation (reference telegram) September 3 that GON "giving serious consideration establishment Embassy in Communist Republic China." However, Head Ministry External Affairs Asia Division Eneli assured Embassy officer today Bamali statements did not indicate change GON policy. Pointed out that since Nigeria has been "considering" establishing Embassy in Peking for more than 2 years "consideration" could continue for some time. (Incidentally Embassy officers visiting Ministry External Affairs noted 5 CHICOMs in delegation rather than 3 previously reported.)

According Ministry Information press release, Bamali described as "baseless and without foundation" allegations that Nigeria hated communist countries. Stated "we are friends to all. What we hate is interference by another country in our domestic problems." Described the goodwill mission as "landmark in development mutual relations between Nigeria and China" and added GON would welcome aid any country provided no strings attached.

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-2- 413, September 4, 6 PM, From: Lagos

CHICOM Deputy Minister for Foreign Trade Chang expressed China's ardent desire establish an Embassy in Nigeria, said would welcome Nigerian Embassy in Peking, and declared China prepared help Nigeria in economic, technical, trade and industrial development. In later call on Minister Economic Development Ibrahim, Chang invited the Minister visit China.

Nigerian press, radio and TV all carried account CHICOM visit and Bamali's remarks.

Bamali's statement as whole seems largely diplomatic and Embassy doubts it indicates any present change Nigeria's policy recognition both Chinas but avoidance relations with either. It however open interpretation by press and politicians as promising action. As Bamali's statement unlikely be offset by publicity favorable GRC or comment on consideration Embassy Taipei, effect is to increase pressure on EXTAEFF to change present policy.

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CHICOM goodwill mission originally scheduled Cotonou September 10-15, but CHINAT Charge has requested postponement due presence Nationalist theatrical troupe starting September 13 (Cotonou's A-41). Foreign Office told Charge that GRD would telegraph CHICOMs at Bamako to request postponement.

Meanwhile, appears Dahomey getting full Bloc treatment since East Germans apparently also trying send goodwill mission September 9-18. GRD has reportedly protested that visit too long and has also requested postponement due presence Chinese Nationalist troupe.

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PEIPING MISSIONS

QUAI (UAM DESK) FOURTH DEPRECATED SIGNIFICANCE CAR GOODWILL
 MISSION TO RED CHINA AND CHICOM MISSION TO CAR. IN RESPONSE
 ENBOFF'S EXPRESSION CONCERN OVER INCREASING CHICOM PRESENCE
 EX-FRENCH AFRICA, QUAI OFF SAID ASSESSMENT FRENCH AMBASSADOR
 BANGUI WHICH QUAI SHARES IS THAT DACKO FULLY ALIVE TO DANGERS
 INHERENT ANY DECISION PERMIT CHICOM MISSION ESTABLISH ITSELF
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Three man Chicom goodwill mission, headed by Vice Minister Foreign Trade LU Hsu-chang, now touring West Africa. According information so far developed, mission was in Niger August 22, arrived Lagos September 2 and will arrive Bangui September 10. Chicoms evidently consider mission to be official since NCNA calls it QTE Chinese Government Friendship Delegation UNQTE. Besides LU, delegation includes ~~comprised~~ Chicom Ambassador to Mali, LAI Ya-li, and Commissioner for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries, HSI Jung. It may also be significant that LU headed trade mission to Europe last fall and at that time initiated contacts which have been used later in negotiations over establishment of relations with France.

Meanwhile, NCNA August 28 began playing up official nature of visit by CAR goodwill mission to Communist China and spoke of its contacts with QTE Chinese Government UNQTE, and QTE favorable conclusions UNQTE reached on QTE friendly cooperation between two countries UNQTE. Delegation leader, Economic and Social Council President Bassamangou, quoted as saying delegation had been sent to lay foundations for economic, technical and cultural cooperation.

This evidence, though sketchy, suggests Chicoms may have modified tactics and are willing have limited dealings within official frame of reference with

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governments now recognizing GRC. Such a change would not mean that Peiping now accepts QTE two Chinas UNQTE--rather that it will behave flexibly over short term, as in France and Congo (Brazza), to undermine GRC's international position.

Chicom goodwill mission ~~will~~ may have more than ordinary significance. Dept. does not wish magnify importance Chicom or Africans may attach to it, but detailed reporting of delegation's activities, and especially proffers it may float in countries recognizing GRC, is desired. Dept. not rpt not informed as to delegation's itinerary, date departure for Africa, or point of exit and will appreciate information on this score.

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Lu Hsu-chang presently Vice Minister of Foreign Trade, and has been identified as Member, China Committee for Promotion of International Trade and General Manager, China Import and Export Company.

In these capacities, Lu (who has background of Shanghai banker) has played both and Europe important role in negotiating trade deals with Western businessmen/in Peiping. His proficiency in English unknown, although it assumed he knows some.

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REFERENCE: KARACHI 440 - POL 7 CHICOM

TIMES OF INDIA SEPT 2 CARRIES AS SECOND LEAD ITEM REPORT OF VISIT TO KARACHI OF PLA AIR COMMANDER LIU YA-LOU, SAYING "THE VISIT OF THE CHINESE AIR CHIEF OF STAFF TO KARACHI 10 DAYS AGO HAS BEEN NOTED WITH MORE THAN USUAL INTEREST IN DIPLOMATIC QUARTERS HERE." ARTICLE LINKS VISIT WITH INCREASING BELLICOSITY OF PAK STATEMENTS AGAINST INDIA, GROWING SINO-PAK FRIENDSHIP, AND CHICOM INTEREST IN MILITARY AID TO PINDI. REPORT SAYS "IT IS FELT HERE" THAT "INDIA HAS NOT YET BEEN CONVINCED OF FACT PAKISTAN HAS OWN IDEAS ABOUT MILITARY AID AND THERE ARE "MANY INSTANCES" OF U.S. MILITARY EQUIPMENT FINDING WAY "INTO HANDS OF THOSE ENEMIES AGAINST WHOM IT WAS INTENDED." REPORT DOES NOT MENTION LIU YA-LOU NOR DOES IT REFER TO HIS PRIOR VISIT TO RUMANIA.

PATRIOT CARRIES BOXED FRONTPAGE ARTICLE ENTITLED "U.S. TANK FORCE SAILS OFF CEYLON" IN WHICH REFERENCE IS MADE TO HIS "LAST WEEK" OF CHICOM "AIR CHIEF OF STAFF" TO PAKISTAN. ARTICLE SAYS HOWEVER THAT HE HAD ACCOMPANIED CHICOM DELEGATION TO RUMANIA BUT HAD REMAINED BEHIND FOR TALKS WITH PAK MILITARY AND GOVERNMENT LEADERS.

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AIRA's U-1195; Your 440 and A-109.

We note reports visit of CPR Vice MinDef General Liu Ya-Lou to PAF headquarters and to Rawalpindi. NCNA reported Sept 1 Liu on friendship visit at invitation Asghar Khan. Would appreciate any further background information on visit you can obtain and assessment of its implications.

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VICE FONMIN YANG SEPTEMBER 1 TOLD EMBOFF THAT CHICOM
GOOD WILL MISSION TO CAR SEEMS INDICATE INCREASING CHICOM
WILLINGNESS ENGAGE IN FLEXIBLE TACTICS FOR PURPOSE
EMBARRASSING AND CHALLENGING GRC. YANG COMPARED THIS WITH
SIMILAR RECENT TACTICS ON PART OF GRC.
YANG SAID GRC HAS MADE LOW KEY PROTEST TO CAR AS WELL AS
IN NIAMEY WHERE RECENT SIMILAR CONTACT TOOK PLACE. BOTH
GOVTS HAVE ASSURED GRC THAT CONTACT WITH CHICOMS CANNOT HARM
FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH GRC. GP-3

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CHICOM MILITARY VISIT

1. CHICOM VICE-MINISTER DEFENSE AND COMMANDER PLA AIR FORCE, LIU YA-LOU, ARRIVED KARACHI AUGUST 31 FOR FOUR DAY VISIT IN PAKISTAN, PRESUMABLY ON WAY BACK TO PEIPING FROM RUMANIAN NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS. LIU TO TRAVEL TO RAWALPINDI AND PESHAWAR WHERE HE WILL MEET PAK AIR MARSHAL ASGHAR KHAN. ONLY OTHER CHINESE REPORTED ACCOMPANYING LIU ARE SENIOR COLONELS TSUI WEN-PO AND CHIANG KE-TING.

2. IT UNCLEAR SO FAR WHETHER LIU VISIT AT CHINESE INITIATIVE OR IN RESPONSE PAK INVITATION. THIS FIRST VIUWT BY RANKING CHICOM MILITARY OFFICIAL TO PAKISTAN. MCCONAUGHY.

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LIU TSUI WEN-PO CHIANG KE-TING 2 LIU

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CIA Federal Ministry Information release August 31 announced
NSA impending visit Nigeria September 2 - 9 by three-man CHICOM
DOD "Goodwill Mission." Delegation led by Lu Hsu Chang and in-
NIC cludes Lai Ya Li, CHICOM Ambassador Mali and Hsia Jung,
AID Deputy Director CHICOM Commission for Cultural Relations
RMR with foreign countries.

Schedule follows:

September 2 - Arrive Ikeja Airport.

September 3 - Call on Minister External Affairs Wachuku and
Minister Economic Development Ibrahim.

September 4 - Call on External Affairs Asia Division head Eneli
and External Affairs Minister for Foreign Affairs Bamali.

September 5 - Call on Minister Commerce and Industry Dicharima
and Minister Information Benson.

September 6 - Sightseeing in Lagos.

September 7 - Visit Ibadan University.

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September 8 - Dinner by External Affairs Minister for Foreign Affairs Bamali.

September 9 - Depart Lagos.

Comment: Although schedule shows call on Wachuku, he not in Lagos now and we think it unlikely he will return from Eastern Region for visit. GRC Vice Minister Yang's mission (EMBTEL 290 and A-153) was not published by Ministry Information until after departure. Appears CHICOMS will get greater coverage. Embassy would appreciate identification of Lu Hsu Chang.

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NSC Bangui's 72 to Department.

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CIA As regards visit to Fort Lamy, we believe Bangui AFP report
NSA erroneous, and possibly result confusion. Chinese Nationalist
DOD Cultural Delegation has just had extremely warm welcome here
NIC and left for its next stop in Bangui.

(RMR) Lhenye mentioned AFP report to Foreign Minister this morning,
he seemed to think it intentional, in view GOF's having
established relations Peking.

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DEPTEL 227, AUGUST 28; BANGUI'S TEL 72 TO DEPT

IT IS OF COURSE INTERESTING THAT CHEN YI DESCRIBED GOOD
WILL MISSION PROMISED TO BE SENT CAR RPT CAR AS "OF OUR
GOVERNMENT", DESPITE FACT THAT BANGUI-TAIPEI RELATIONS
REMAIN INTACT. WE ALSO NOTE THAT NCNA RPT NCNA HAS SEVERAL
TIMES DESCRIBED CHICOM GOOD-WILL MISSION NOW-VISITING NIGER
CFN 246 17 39 31 1 227 28 72 CHEN YI

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AS GOVERNMENTAL, E.G. "CHINESE GOVERNMENT FRIENDSHIP DELE-
GATION", AGAIN DESPITE FACT THAT NIGER, SIMILARLY MAINTAINS
RELATIONS WITH TAIPEI. IF REPORT CITED BANGUI'S REFTL IS
CORRECT, CHICOM DELEGATION ALSO WILL VISIT CHAD, WHERE
GRC RPT GRC HAS CHARGE D'AFFAIRES.

APPARENTLY INCREASED ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL CONTACTS ARE,
AT THIS STAGE, BEING HELD FORTH AS AIMS OF RESPECTIVE PARTIES
EVEN THOUGH LESS EFFORT IS BEING MADE TO MAINTAIN CAMOUFLAGE
THAT PROMOTING THESE AIMS IS NON-GOVERNMENTAL EFFORT ON
CHICOM SIDE. MISSION CURRENTLY IN NIGER, FOR EXAMPLE,
IS HEADED BY VICE-MINISTER FOREIGN TRADE LU HSU-CHANG,
AND ATTENDANCE AT EVENTS HELD IN PEIPING FOR BASSAMOUNGOU
CHARACTERIZED BY HEAVY CONCENTRATION OF TRADE AND CULTURAL
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THUS CHICOMS APPEAR ENGAGED IN STEPPED UP EFFORT TO SECURE RECOGNITION, CHARACTERIZED BY INITIAL FLEXIBILITY WHICH SERVED THEM SO WELL IN CASES OF FRANCE AND BRAZZAVILLE, AND DIRECTED AT STATES WHICH FORMERLY WERE FRENCH COLONIES AND NOW RECOGNIZE GRC.

BY ACCEPTING, FOR TIME BEING, UNPRECEDENTED DEGREE OF LATITUDE ON SCORE OF "TWO CHINAS" IN NIGER AND CAR, PEIPING MAY CFN CHAD GRC LU HSU-CHANG BASSAMOUNGOU GRC CAR

PAGE THREE RUMJDH.02 C O N F I D E N T I A L
HAVE CALCULATED THAT CHICOM ABSTENTION FROM DIRECT COMPETITION WITH ESTABLISHED GRC MISSIONS IN AFRICA HAS ONLY LEFT FIELD OPEN TO THEM, WHEREAS IF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS COULD BE PROGRESSIVELY TIED WITH PEIPING THROUGH TRADE AND CULTURAL RELATIONS AND COULD BE DIRECTLY IMPRESSED WITH PEIPING'S POWER TO ASSIST THEIR CLAIMS TO GREATER INTERNATIONAL STATUS AND MORE RAPID DOMESTIC ADVANCE, THESE GOVERNMENTS WOULD BE LIKELY TO ESTABLISH FULL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH CPR AND BREAK, OR BRING ABOUT RUPTURE WITH GRC. ONCE THIS POINT HAS BEEN REACHED, IN CASE OF ANY GIVEN STATE, CHICOMS CAN BE EXPECTED TO REVERT TO TOTAL RIGIDITY ON "TWO CHINAS" QUESTION AS FAR AS THAT COUNTRY IS CONCERNED.

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Bangui Radio today broadcast local AFP report quoting "generally well informed sources" here to effect that Chinese Communist Delegation expected Bangui about September 10. Broadcast noted visit first of kind and occurs at moment when CAR delegation making first contacts with Peking. Stated it probable CHICOM delegation is one which now in West Africa. Delegation reportedly to visit Bangui after Fort Lamy and before Brazzaville.

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Bangui's 60 Dept; sent Hong Kong 3, Taipei 3, Paris 36.

Sending official goodwill delegation to CAR would appear represent departure from Peiping's previous tactics in dealing with governments maintaining relations with GRC so long as Bangui-Taipei relations remain intact. Goodwill mission clearly would have political nature and abandon contrived trade and cultural exchange camouflages Peiping has sometimes used to avoid conveying impression it accepts QTE two Chinas UNQTE.

Would appreciate Hong Kong and Taipei comment. Embassy should also solicit GRC assessment Chicom announcement.

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SEVERAL LEADERS IN CHINESE COMMUNITY REPORT VISITS
AUG 26, 27 BY SPECIAL BRANCH DETECTIVES ORDERING THEM
TO STAY IN TOWN AND OUT OF TROUBLE AS CHOU EN-LAI
ARRIVING O/A AUG 30. DETECTIVES REPORTEDLY STATED THOSE
DETAINED PREVIOUS CHOU VISITS WERE MERELY BEING
WARNED AND SUBJECTED TO SURVEILLANCE THIS TIME BECAUSE
SOME REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL MEMBERS OPPOSED DETENTION.

COMMENT: PATTERN CONSISTENT PREPARATIONS PREVIOUS
CFN 135 53 18 22 28 5 26 27 CHOU EN-LAI 30

PAGE 2 RUMJRV 152A C O N F I D E N T I A L
VISITS HIGH CHICOM LEADERS BUT WE HAVE NO OTHER INDICATIONS
TRAVELER TO RANGOON MIGHT BE CHOU EN-LAI. WOULD
SPECULATE INSTEAD THAT BURMA MAY BE TRANSIT STOP FOR SOME
HIGH-LEVEL CHICOM DELEGATION.

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DATE August 25, 4 p.m.

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NCNA despatch quoted in Bangui press August 25 reports CAR mission banqueted Peking August 24 by Chen Yi who underscored ties of friendship uniting two peoples and stated CHICOM goodwill delegation would visit CAR in near future. CAR delegation leader Bassamengou described his mission's purpose to "know China better and inform itself on way of life, economy, artistic and cultural activities of China" and expressed hope these contacts would contribute to development of ties between two countries.

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FROM : Amembassy KARACHI

DATE: August 21, 1964

SUBJECT : Chicom Delegation to Rumania

REF :

A Chinese Communist chartered PIA aircraft carrying Peiping's delegation to the Rumanian National Day celebrations from Shanghai to Bucharest transitted Dacca and Karachi August 18. The delegation, including Vice Premier and CCP Politburo member Li Hsien-nien, Air Force Commander General Liu Ya-lou, Vice Minister of Foreign Trade Li Cheng, and Vice Minister of Chemical Industry Hou Te-pang was greeted by local Chinese Embassy and Consulate personnel and by protocol representatives of the GOP.

Comment: The Chinese are obviously making a pointed effort to use PIA even for intra-Bloc visits, thereby avoiding the passage through Moscow which use of the Peiping-Moscow air service would entail.

For the Ambassador:

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Eneli (Head Euro-West Division, EXTIAFF) informed Embassy August 7 official visit representatives both GRC and Peiping expected shortly. Deputy GRC Foreign Minister Yang Hsi-Kun to visit Lagos before end August and Chinese Communist delegation several persons (names and positions unknown) expected at unspecified date thereafter. Chinese Communist delegation touring various African countries and now in Mali.

Eneli said both visits goodwill only and would not hold substantive discussions with GON. Noted that since GON had turned down Chou En-Lai did not feel could turn down request at lower level.

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NSC ACCORDING TO QUAI FE CHIEF TOUSSAINT, WANG RINGNAN IN
INR CONVERSATION AUGUST 4 TOLD FRENCH AMBASSADOR PAYE:
CIA THAT RECENT VISIT TO BURMA OF CHOU AND CHEN YI WAS
NSA "ROUTINE AND FRIENDLY". IT RESULTED FROM CPR WISH TO
OSD "STRENGTHEN TIES WITH FRIENDLY AND NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES".
ARMY WANG THEREUPON ASKED PAYE TO GIVE HIM FULL AND OFFICIAL
NAVY TEXT OF DE GAULLE'S PRESS CONFERENCE. IN RESPONSE TO
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RMR PAGE 2 RUFGWP 213 C O N F I D E N T I A L
QUERY FROM PAYE WHETHER PEIPING AND TOKYO WILL EXCHANGE
PERMANENT ECONOMIC MISSIONS, WANG ANSWERED WITHOUT
HESITATION THAT THEY WOULD NOT SINCE JAPAN HAS TOO MANY
TIES WITH TAIWAN. HOWEVER, HE CONTINUED, CHINESE PEOPLE
STRONGLY WISHED FULL RESUMPTION OF ECONOMIC AND COMMERCIAL
TIES WITH JAPAN. GP-3. LYON
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SUBJECT :	ChiCom Views Given to Japanese Visitors	
REF :	Embtel 181, Hong Kong's 57	

At a meeting of Embassy and Foreign Office representatives held July 23 for the exchange of information on matters related to developments in Communist countries, the Foreign Office participants provided an oral report of information obtained from recent Japanese visitors to Communist China. This report, which generally confirms information reported in Hong Kong's 51, is summarized below:

During an interview with MAO Tse-tung July 11, a Japanese Socialist Party (JSP) member, on behalf of the Socialist delegation, asked Mao's opinion of the Japanese claim to the Kurile Islands. Mao said "I agree with you concerning your claims to the Kurile Islands, and the Japanese position is a just one". Mao then went on to say that in 1956, during a meeting with Khrushchev, he (Mao) had said that Russia had taken Outer Mongolia on the assumption that Outer Mongolia would be given full-fledged independence and had asked Khrushchev to return Outer Mongolia. According to the Foreign Office officials, Mao was not suggesting that Outer Mongolia be returned to China but rather that Outer Mongolia should be given full independence free from influence. Mao also went on to enumerate other examples of Soviet expansionism, including three small islands in the Amur River, territories on the Sinkiang border, Bessarabia, and territories belonging to Poland, Finland and the three Baltic States. The Foreign Office officials said that according to LIAO Cheng-chih, the Soviet Charge in Peiping had subsequently called on CHOU En-lai to protest Mao's

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remarks concerning the Kurile Islands. According to Liao, Chou told the Soviet Charge that the remarks as reported were accurate, whereupon the Charge left.

Mao remarked that the Chinese Communists received useful "reverse education" from the Japanese Imperial Army in China during the war, i. e., they learned their lessons from the Japanese. He added that the Chinese Communists could not have conquered China had it not been for the Japanese War.

Mao said that the Rumanian mission which visited China recently had come for the purpose of mediating the Sino-Soviet dispute. After listening to the Chinese Communists' arguments, however, the Rumanians themselves had adopted an anti-Soviet posture.

The Japanese visitors said Mao looked healthy and had a good complexion but that he usually was supported during public appearances by women. They were told (with inconsistency unexplained) Mao now swims two kilometers every day.

In the JSP visitors' interview with Chou En-lai, Chou spoke in great detail concerning the internal affairs of the JSP. He said he would welcome a visit to China of any formal Party delegation. He did not criticize the policy of structural reform and when the JSP representatives asked about his views on the anti-A and H Bomb Conference, Chou said that he could understand the JSP position on this matter.

Concerning relations with the United States, Chou said that if the United States would evacuate Taiwan the Chinese would have no need to use Taiwan as a military base. Vice Foreign Minister CHAO, in a meeting on July 9, explained the Chinese attitude toward the U. S. in familiar terms. The Japanese present remarked that they felt that the Chinese were taking a quiet posture and that there was a lack of tense or "urgent" atmosphere when relations with the United States or the situation in Southeast Asia was being discussed. The JSP members thought that the Chinese did not appear to regard the present situation in Indochina as particularly serious.

Concerning Taiwan, Vice Foreign Minister Chao said that independence for Taiwan is inconceivable. He was asked whether the Chinese Communists

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RECENT VISIT CHOU EN-LAI

CEYLON SECOND SECRETARY INFORMED DCM THAT CEYLON EMBASSY PEKING REPORTED CONVERSATION WITH DEPUTY CHIEF ASIAN AFFAIRS BUREAU FONOFF UPON HIS RETURN FROM RANGOON VISIT AS MEMBER CHOU'S MISSION IN WHICH HE STATED CHOU HAD STRESSED TO BURMESE FACT THAT IF US EXTENDED WAR BEYOND SOUTH VIETNAM, CHINESE WOULD HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT RESPOND WITH FORCE AND WOULD DO SO, AND THAT CHINESE HAD HEAVILY STRESSED PRESENTATION IN HOPE BURMESE WOULD TRANSMIT THEIR POSITION TO US.

CEYLON EMBASSY PEKING ASKED THEIR MISSION RANGOON WHETHER BRIEFING GIVEN US EMBASSY BY FONOFF REFLECTED FOREGOING. WE INFORMED CHARGE IT HAD NOT.

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MESSAGE TO US FROM CHINESE. THIS TYPE OF MIDDLE-MAN OPERATION
BETWEEN US AND CHINA BURMESE MOST DETERMINED AVOID, BUT THEY
MAY HAVE PASSED CHICOM VIEWS TO U THANT.

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FROM : AMEMBASSY RANGOON

DATE: July 31, 1964

SUBJECT: Conversation with U Soe Tin, Permanent Secretary

REF: Embtel 43.

MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

DATE: July 15, 1964

SUBJECT: Visit of Chinese Communist Prime Minister and Foreign Minister and U.S. Deprecation of Burmese Neutrality.

PLACE: Foreign Office, Rangoon

PARTICIPANTS: U Soe Tin, Permanent Secretary, Foreign Office
Alexander Schnee, Deputy Chief of Mission

Background:

The meeting was requested by the DCM, as expressed to U Soe Tin, to provide Washington with the most accurate information regarding what appeared to be the sudden visit of Chou en-Lai and Chen Yi. However, as the following description of the meeting will reveal, U Soe Tin appeared to have had his own objectives in mind in agreeing to receive Mr. Schnee. (The Ambassador was in Taunggyi.) U Soe Tin's anti-American diatribe, in fact, was the major theme of his discussion of the visit, but not a separate subject.

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SUMMARY:

U Soe Tin opened the conversation with a vehement attack on the diplomatic corps speculation that the Chinese had come to Burma to request the transit of troops enroute to Laos (clearly indicating he thought U.S. Embassy involved), and then proceeded to tick off a list of things which indicated to the Foreign Office that the Embassy no longer had confidence in Burma's neutrality and which raised a question as to whether these evidences of suspicion on the part of the U.S. and others were designed to establish a case which might be used to justify violating Burma's neutrality. He believes both sides may be playing this game in Burma and for this reason he personally injected the reference to Article 3 of the Sino-Burmese Treaty, providing that neither side shall join alliances against the other, into the communique.

Among the items he mentioned in the list of U.S. actions that the Foreign Office did not like were: The Embassy Note of June 19 concerning the activities of two communist-front organizations which attacked U.S. policy, objectives and motives in Vietnam; publication in the U.S. of the SCRUTABLE ASIAN (Scrutable East) by Trumbull; the anti-Burmese position of the U.S. press; unsympathetic comments by Embassy personnel regarding measures taken by the RGUB (subsequently said to refer mostly to the Embassy Note regarding demonitization) which get back to the General and fan suspicions aroused by past events and add to his irritation of the U.S. stemming from his last trip to the U.S.; recent U.S. criticism of Burmese treatment of Indians (again referring to the U.S. press).

In response Schnee suggested that whenever the RGUB is interested in or annoyed by U.S. views or actions they should first of all call in Ambassador Byroade who is in a better position than anyone else to inform them of U.S. views on developments in Burma and the relation of Burma to the strategic situation in Southeast Asia. Schnee assured Soe Tin that the U.S. considers Burmese Government stability and neutrality important assets for U.S. objectives in this area; pointed out lack of U.S. control over the press; sympathetic reporting of the Embassy as evidenced by the fact that they found Frank Trager with an objective understanding of what has been happening in Burma in recent years. Schnee pointed out that the Embassy made every effort to describe events in Burma in terms of Burmese history and expressed hope that the Foreign Office does the same regarding the U.S. press.

Soe Tin said Chou visited Burma to check on Burmese reactions to events in Southeast Asia over last two months and Mikoyan's visit.

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 RMR NEUTRAL, I HAVE SENT FOM MIN A NOTE TRANSMITTING HIGHLIGHTS
 PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT ON SEA AND SUGGESTING MEETING THIS
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NSC AND C-40 DTG 130630Z. SUBJECT: CHOU EN LAI VISIT. PADA RANGOON 18
INR JULY. SOURCE BR11000002 (B) FROM PERSON (F) WHO SAT IN ON AT
LEAST PART OF MEETINGS. VISIT STRICTLY BUSINESS. NO SIDE VISITS
EXCEPT BRIEFING SESSIONS IN CHICOM EMBASSY. CHOU VEHEMENTLY
DENOUNCED KHRUSHCHEV. NEXT ATTACHED AMERICAN POLICY IN SE ASIA,
SITUATION NOW DEVELOPING PORTENDED GENERAL WAR BY US
AGAINST CHINA. CHINA FOR PEACE OF COURSE BUT NOT AFRAID IN
LEAST OF WAR. WAR WOULD AFFECT BURMA TOO INASMUCH AS ENEMY
MIGHT UNDER DESPERATION TRANSGRESS THROUGH BURMESE TERRITORY.

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SUGGESTED BURMA COULD TAKE SOME POSITIVE STEPS IN ITS OWN
INTERESTS. U THANT A GOOD MAN AND HIS STAND ON GENEVA
CONFERENCE MOST SOUND, THEREFORE IT WOULD BE EXCELLENT FOR
HIM TO KNOW FROM NE WIN ABOUT CHINA'S VIEWS WHEN HE VISITS
RANGOON THIS MONTH. CHOU SUGGESTED BURMA MIGHT VERBALLY
REINFORCE ITS NEUTRALITY STAND, ALSO ACTIVELY PREVENT PASSAGE
ANY ARMS OR ALIEN FORCES THRU ANY PART (SURFACE, AIR, SEA) ITS
TERRITORY. NE WIN REPLIED IT ONLY NATURAL FOR HIM TO PASS
CHINA'S VIEWS ON TO U THANT BUT REMARKED BURMA COULD NOT BE
MORE NEUTRAL THAN ALREADY IS. GENERAL AGREED SINO-BURMESE
RELATIONS EXCELLENT, CHINESE BORDER BEHAVIOR VERY CORRECT,
INDEED THERE MIGHT BE POTENTIAL THREAT OF TERRITORIAL TRANS-
GRESSIONS FROM QUOTE MULTI-COMPOSED FORCES OF OTHER PARTY
UNQUOTE BUT AS FAR AS BURMA PRESENTLY CONCERNED WHOEVER FIRST
TRANSGRESSED INTO BURMESE TERRITORY WOULD BE REGARDED AS ENEMY.

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MOREOVER, BURMESE DEFENSE PLANS BASED EXCLUSIVELY ON SELF RELIANCE. CHEN YI NODDED AFFIRMATION BUT MUTTERED THAT AREA WHICH PRESENTS POTENTIAL DANGERS (PRESUMABLY BURMA'S EASTERN BORDER AREA) WAS DIFFICULT AND TRICKY PIECE OF GEOGRAPHY. CHOU EXPRESSED SATISFACTION IN KNOWING THAT BURMA'S PRESENT LEADERSHIP

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WOULD NEVER COUNTENANCE IDEA OF ALLOWING, OR CLOSING EYES TO, ANY HOSTILE FORCES SECURING BASE OR TRANSIT AREA IN ANY PART ITS NATIONAL TERRITORY. CHOU MADE VARIOUS GENERAL REFERENCES TO AMERICAN AGGRESSION IN LAOS, VIETNAM, FORMOSA, ETC AND TO FALTERING LEADERSHIP IN US MENTIONING GOLDWATER AND AMBASSADOR TAYLOR. CHOU AND NE WIN AGREED MINUTES OF MEETING WOULD BE TOP SECRET, PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT WOULD DESCRIBE QUOTE FRIENDLY TALKS, MUTUAL CONCERN OVER SE ASIA SITUATION, CHINA-BURMA GOOD RELATIONS UNQUOTE.
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STA CHOU EN LAI AND CHEN YI VISIT TO RANGOON JULY 10 TO 12:
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OSD DURING CONVERSATION AT FONOFF JULY 15 REQUESTED BY DCM,
ARMY U SOE TIN, PERMANENT SECRETARY, COMMENTED AS FOLLOWS
NAVY ON VISIT OF CHINESE PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER:
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MEETING NOT AS SUDDEN AS IT APPEARED, HAVING BEEN UNDER
DISCUSSION FOR "A FEW WEEKS." SECRECY IN RESPONSE TO CHINESE
FEAR IF TRIP KNOWN, AMERICANS MIGHT TRY TO SHOOT THEM DOWN
IN THE AIR. U SOE TIN OBSERVED THAT ROUTE KUNMING TO
RANGOON PASSED VERY CLOSE AREA WHICH "THE AMERICANS" ARE
BOMBING PATHET LAO. ASKED WHY CHINESE SENT SUCH HIGH-
POWERED DELEGATION, SOE TIN COMMENTED, "WHO BUT PRIME
MINISTER AND FOREIGN MINISTER WOULD COME TO DISCUSS BURMESE
MATTERS?" AND WOULD NOT FURTHER DISCUSS THIS ASPECT OF VISIT.

AS REGARDS SUBSTANCE OF MEETINGS, SOE TIN VIGOROUSLY
TOOK OFFENSIVE ASKING WHETHER IT TRUE THAT AMONG
DIPLOMATS THERE WAS SPECULATION THAT CHINA HAD REQUESTED

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BURMESE PERMIT TRANSIT CHINESE TROOPS TO ATTACK LAOS. DCM REPLIED THAT INTENSE INTEREST IN SEA IN CAPITALS OF ALL MAJOR POWERS NATURALLY RESULTED IN THEIR RANGOON REPRESENTATIVES EXPLORING ALL POSSIBLE REASONS FOR WHAT APPEARED TO THEM TO BE URGENT VISIT OF CHINESE PRIME MINISTER AND FOREIGN MINISTER. IN THE PROCESS HE ADDED IT NATURAL CONSIDER POSSIBILITY OF CHINESE MOVE IN LAOS AND POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS FOR BURMA. HOWEVER,

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SCHNEE POINTED OUT, ENUMERATION THIS AMONG OTHER POSSIBLE CHINESE INTENTIONS NOT TANTAMOUNT TO CONCLUDING THERE ANY BURMESE DISPOSITION TO PERMIT SUCH AN ARRANGEMENT OR EVEN TO CONCLUDE THIS A LIKELY SUBJECT TO BE RAISED BY CHINESE. (DCM HAD PARTICIPATED IN TWO DISCUSSIONS WITH OTHER DIPLOMATS AT SOCIAL FUNCTIONS WHERE NOTHING BUT CHINESE VISIT DISCUSSED SINCE THEIR ARRIVAL. LAOS CAME UP EACH TIME, ALONG WITH MANY OTHER POSSIBLE SUBJECTS.) SOE TIN WENT ON TO ASK WHY AMERICANS NEED SPECULATE ALONG THESE LINES WHEN RECENTLY PUBLISHED BOOK IN AMERICA ENTITLED THE SCRUTABLE ORIENT BY TRUMBULL STATED THERE 200,000 CHICOMS IN BURMA AND 20,000 TRIBESMEN IN BORDER AREAS TRAINED BY CHINESE ARMED FORCES AND AUTHOR ASSERTER THAT ONE MISSION OF AMERICAN AMBASSADOR IN BANGKOK WAS TO ASSURE DANGER FROM THIS FLANK WOULD BE CONTAINED. DCM REPLIED HE HAD NOT SEEN BOOK AND COULD NOT OFFER EXPLANATION AS TO WHY TRUMBULL SHOULD BELIEVE THERE THAT MANY CHICOMS OR SUCH CHINESE ACTIVITY IN BURMA. EMBASSY CERTAINLY HAD NO INFORMATION TO SUPPORT SUCH STATEMENTS. DCM ASSURED SOE TIN THAT IF RGUB HAD ANY QUESTIONS RE US VIEWS OF CFN 200,000 20,000

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DEVELOPMENTS IN BURMA OR ITS STRATEGIC SIGNIFICANCE IN BROADER SEA SITUATION, BEST PERSON COULD SPEAK TO WOULD BE AMBASSADOR BYROADE. HE AND OTHER EMBASSY OFFICERS STAND READY ANY TIME PARTICIPATE IN FULL DISCUSSION EMBASSY VIEWS. SCHNEE THEN RECALLED COMMENT HE MADE TO FONMIN AND SOE TIN ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO WHEN HE EXPRESSED RETICENCE ACCEPT AS CONSIDERED BURMESE VIEW RE MATTERS OF IMPORT, INFORMATION EXCHANGED IN COCKTAIL PARTY CONVERSATIONS.

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URGED SOE TIN EXERCISE SIMILAR RESERVE RE REPORTS BROUGHT BACK TO GOVT RE STATEMENTS MADE BY EMBASSY REPRESENTATIVES AT SUCH PARTIES. US CONSIDERED RELATIVE STABILITY OF SITUATION IN BURMA AS IMPORTANT PLUS FOR FREE WORLD OBJECTIVES SEA AND THIS HAS BEEN TOLD TO WIDE VARIETY OF BURMESE. HAD MIS REPORTED THIS TO FONOFF? AT THIS SOE TIN SMILED WITH WHAT APPEARED TO BE SATISFACTION.

SOE TIN THEN REVERTED TO VISIT, STATING GOVT'S DISPLEASURE AT SUCH CARELESS SPECULATIONS BY DIPLOMATS FOSTERED BY CONJUNCTION OF NEWSPAPERS IN INDIA AT SAME TIME STATING CIA INSURGENTS WERE COOPERATING WITH CHICOMS. BURMESE GOVT FEARED THAT SOME POWERS MAY DELIBERATELY ENCOURAGE SPECULATION THAT TROOPS OF

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ANOTHER COUNTRY TRANSGRESSING BURMA'S TERRITORY IN ORDER JUSTIFY VIOLATION BURMESE TERRITORY BY OTHER SIDE.

BURMA STRICTLY NEUTRAL IN SINO-SOVIET DISPUTE, HE SAID, AND METICULOUS IN NOT STEPPING ON TOES OF ANY NATION. BURMA PROBABLY ONLY NATION WHICH HAS FLATLY TOLD CHINESE THEY DO NOT APPROVE ITS AFRO-ASIAN CONCEPT. ON OTHER HAND HAVE TOLD SOVIETS THEY DISAPPROVE MIKOYAN STATEMENTS RE MALAYSIA. IN ORDER MAKE IT CLEAR TO BOTH SIDES AND WHOLE WORLD BURMA WOULD CONTINUE MAINTAIN ITS NEUTRALITY, HE HAD PERSONALLY INSISTED UPON INSERTING IN COMMUNIQUE REAFFIRMATION OF ARTICLE 3 OF THE SINO-BURMESE TREATY. PRESENCE THIS ARTICLE IN COMMUNIQUE, HE SAID, "WAS MY BRAIN CHILD." DCM EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THIS CLARIFICATION AS THIS COMMUNIQUE ITEM HAD BEEN MOST PUZZLING. IMPOSSIBLE CONCEIVE OF BURMESE CONCERN THAT CHINA WOULD FORM COALITION AGAINST BURMA BUT ALSO, HE STRESSED, DIFFICULT TO BELIEVE THAT CHINESE COULD BE CONCERNED BURMA MIGHT JOIN COALITION AGAINST IT AS BURMA'S ADHERENCE TO NEUTRALITY NOT QUESTIONED BY ANY OBSERVERS IN BURMA, INCLUDING AMERICAN EMBASSY. QUESTION HAS THEREFORE RISEN WHETHER SIGNIFICANCE THIS ARTICLE MIGHT RELATE SOME GP-3. BYROADE

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OTHER TYPE ACTIVITY, PERHAPS SUCH AS PERMANENT UN SECURITY FORCE
SUGGESTED BY THE SOVIETS. SOE TIN IGNORED THIS LATTER REFERENCE AS
HE HAD APPARENTLY BEEN WAITING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO STATE FONOFF
HAD COME TO OPINION THAT AMERICAN EMBASSY NO LONGER BELIEVED
BURMA ADHERING TO ITS NEUTRALITY POLICY AND THAT EMBASSY'S
NOTE OF JUNE 19 ACCUSING BURMA OF A "DOUBLE STANDARD"
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CONSTITUTED SHOCKING EVIDENCE THIS POINT. (MEMCON FOLLOWS ON
THIS AND OTHER ASPECTS OF CONVERSATION WHICH UTILIZED BY
SOE TIN TO EXPRESS SEVERAL GRIPEs AND MISGIVINGS.) REVERTING
TO COMMUNIQUE HE REITERATED THAT ARTICLE 3 INSERTED TO COUNTER
ANY MISUNDERSTANDINGS OF BURMA'S POLICY (NE
WIN MADE SAME POINT IN TALK WITH HAGEN) ADDING FORCEFULLY:
"IF WE ARE INVADED BY EITHER SIDE WE WILL RESIST!"

TURNING TO OTHER ASPECTS OF COMMUNIQUE HE SAID REFERENCE
TO 14 NATION CONFERENCE REFLECTED BURMA'S WILLINGNESS
TO MAKE PUBLIC POSITION WHICH ALREADY ESTABLISHED.
PREVIOUS BURMESE HESITATION, HE POINTED OUT,
CONCERNED SOLELY WITH VENUE OF CONFERENCE; THIS NOW LEFT
OPEN. SOE TIN REFUSED CHINESE ENDEAVOR PRECEDE
THIS PARAGRAPH WITH LENGTHY PREAMBLE REFERRING TO, AMONG
OTHER THINGS, RIGHTIST COUP IN LAOS. BURMESE REJECTED

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THIS STATING TO CHINESE THAT IN BURMA'S VIEW BOTH SIDES
BEAR RESPONSIBILITY FOR SITUATION THERE. DCM NOTED PHRASE
"DETERIORATING SITUATION IN SOUTHEAST ASIA" AND ASKED
WHETHER THIS REFLECTED BURMESE VIEW OF CURRENT SITUATION.
SOE TIN REPLIED "DOESN'T EVERYONE FIND SITUATION IN
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SOUTHEAST ASIA DETERIORATING? YOU DO TOO, DON'T YOU?"
DCM REPLIED US DID NOT CONSIDER SEA SITUATION DETERIORATING
AND THAT IN RECENT WEEKS WE THOUGHT THERE HAD BEEN NOTICEABLE
STRENGTHENING OF CAPACITY TO RESIST COMMUNIST SUBVERSION
IN THE AREA. SOE TIN DID NOT COMMENT.

REVERTING TO COMMUNIQUE, SOE TIN SAID SECOND ARTICLE
ON ECONOMIC COOPERATION ONLY ARTICLE ACCEPTED FROM CHINESE
DRAFT, THAT OTHER THREE ARTICLES PROVIDED BY BURMESE.
ASKED WHETHER MEANING OF ARTICLE WAS THERE WOULD BE NEW
CHINESE ECONOMIC PROGRAM IN BURMA OR MERELY CHINESE WOULD
PROCEED IMPLEMENT EXISTING AGREEMENT, SOE TIN REPLIED
BURMESE UNHAPPY OVER FAILURE CHINESE IMPLEMENT
ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM MORE RAPIDLY. BURMESE THEREFORE
WELCOMED STATEMENT CALLING UPON CHINESE ACT MORE
EXPEDITIOUSLY IN IMPLEMENTING EXISTING AGREEMENT.

DCM EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR SOE TIN'S CLARIFICATION
OF PURPOSE AND RESULTS OF VISIT BUT WENT ON TO EXPRESS VIEW
THAT RESULTS DESCRIBED APPEARED RATHER MEAGER CONSIDERING
CHINESE DELEGATION AND TIMING OF VISIT. SOE TIN COUNSELED
EMBASSY "NOT TO ATTACH TOO MUCH IMPORTANCE TO IT,"

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AND WENT ON SAY CHOU EN LAI CAME HERE "TO SORT OF EXPLORE
SITUATION IN BURMA (IN LIGHT RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AREA) AND FIND
OUT WHAT MIKOYAN WAS UP TO AND HOW WE (BURMA) REACTED TO HIS VISIT."

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PART II - CHINESE EMBASSY VERSION

A. VIA SWEDISH AMBASSADOR

AMBASSADOR TORD B. HAGEN CALLED ON CHINESE AMBASSADOR KENG PIAO ON JULY 14 ON OCCASION OF HIS FAREWELL VISIT TO RANGOON. AMB HAGEN HAD KNOWN KENG PIAO IN STOCKHOLM, RESPECTED HIM AND ENJOYED FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH HIM. PRIOR TO CALL ON CHINESE AMBASSADOR, HAGEN BRIEFED B. EMBASSY.

KENG PIAO SAID VISIT NOT ARRANGED AS SUDDENLY AS APPEARED TO OUTSIDE OBSERVERS AND SECRECY HAD BEEN MAINTAINED IN RESPONSE TO BURMESE DESIRE AVOID PUBLICATION INFORMATION REVEALING WHEN GENERAL MIGHT TRAVEL TO OR FROM AIRPORT AND ALSO BECAUSE CHINESE FEARS AMERICANS WOULD TRY TO SHOOT DOWN THEIR PLANE. CHINESE PLEASED HAVE BURMESE PUBLICLY COMMIT THEMSELVES SUPPORT 14-NATION CONFERENCE. REALIZING BURMESE PREOCCUPATION DOMESTIC MATTERS AT THIS POINT AND DISINCLINATION BECOME INVOLVED IN FOREIGN ISSUES, CHINESE THOUGHT STRONG REPRESENTATION NECESSARY PERSUADE BURMESE ON THIS
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MATTER. KENG PIAO DESCRIBED SECOND POINT OF COMMUNIQUE DEALING WITH ECONOMIC COOPERATION MOST IMPORTANT PORTION OF STATEMENT. IN CONSIDERATION BURMESE DESIRES HUSBAND LIMITED FOREIGN EXCHANGE RESOURCES, (PRESS REPORTS TODAY STATE FLOOD DAMAGES MAY REDUCE RICE EXPORTS) CHINESE HAVE AGREED OFFER BURMA NEW LOAN TO FINANCE BURMESE PURCHASE OF TEXTILES AND OTHER COMMODITIES. ASKED WHEN BURMESE WILL BE REQUIRED REPAY LOAN, KENG PIAO REPLIED, "WHENEVER THEY ARE ABLE TO REPAY IT." THIS NEW AGREEMENT, HE STRESSED, WILL SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASE ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES. (AMB HAGEN SAID AFTER HE LEFT KENG PIAO HE REVIEWED CONVERSATION IN HIS OWN MIND AND CONCLUDED THAT CHINESE AMB HAD USED TERM "A NEW LOAN" AND HAD MEANT TO GIVE THIS IMPRESSION.)

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USIA AMB HAGEN REFERRED TO REFERENCE ARTICLE 3 OF SINO-
NSC BURMESE TREATY AND COMMENTED TO EFFECT THAT BURMESE SURELY
INR NOT CONCERNED ABOUT CHINESE JOINING COALITION AGAINST
CIA THEM AND THAT CHINESE COULD HARDLY DOUBT BURMA'S COMMITMENT
NSA TO POLICY OF NEUTRALITY. KENG PIAO REPLIED, "NOT AT ALL,
OSD THE AMERICANS ARE PUSHING VIGOROUSLY IN BURMA." WHEN HAGEN
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OBSERVED THAT CHINESE COULD NOT SERIOUSLY BELIEVE BURMA
WOULD CONTEMPLATE JOINING SEATO, KENG PIAO REITERATED THAT
AMERICANS WERE PUSHING VERY STRONGLY.

WHEN HAGEN REFERRED TO SPECULATION THAT VISIT MOTIVATED
BY CHINESE DESIRE CHECK REACTION TO MIKOYAN VISIT AND/OR
CHINESE

CONCERN OVER SOVIET PROPOSAL FOR UN FORCE, KENG PIAO
REPLIED THEY NOT WORRIED OVER RUSSIANS WHO HAVE "NO INFLUENCE
ON SITUATION HERE." WITH REFERENCE SOVIET UN PROPOSAL HE
SAID CHINA HAS NO INTEREST IN UN AND CONVINCED UN FORCES
OTHER AREAS HAVE CAUSED MORE HARM THAN GOOD FROM CHINA
VIEWPOINT. HAGEN THEN SUGGESTED 14 NATIONS MIGHT AGREE
THEY ALL CONTRIBUTE TO FORCE WHICH WOULD HAVE
OBJECTIVE SEAL-OFF TROUBLE SPOTS INDOCHINA AND ASKED

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WHETHER CHINA MIGHT NOT PARTICIPATE SUCH AS EFFORT. KENG PIAO REPLIED, "WE WOULD BE ONE OF THE 14 AND THAT WOULD BE DIFFERENT."

KENG PIAO SAID THERE ONE IMPORTANT MATTER DISCUSSED BUT WHICH NOT MENTIONED IN COMMUNIQUE. CHINESE GOVT HAS AGREED REPATRIATE APPROXIMATELY 100,000 CHINESE FROM BURMA. BURMESE REQUESTED THIS REPATRIATION NOT TAKE PLACE BY SEA
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AS THEY WISH AVOID TYPE UNFAVORABLE COMMENTS MADE AT TIME CHINESE REPATRIATION FROM SINGAPORE. AS REPATRIATION BY AIR THIS NUMBER NOT FEASIBLE BURMESE REQUESTED CHINESE FIND OTHER MEANS. WHEN HAGEN HALF JOKINGLY ASKED WHETHER CHINESE WERE GOING TO WALK OUT, KENG PIAO OBSERVED A WAY WOULD BE FOUND TO REPATRIATE CHINESE IN ACCORDANCE WITH BURMESE WISHES;

BY RESPONSE HAGEN'S COMMENTS ON APPARENT SUDDENNESS OF VISIT AND HIGH-RANKING PERSONNEL INVOLVED, KENG PIAO REPLIED THE VISIT SHOULD NOT BE LOOKED UPON AS SO UNUSUAL, RECALLING SCANDINAVIAN LEADERS VISIT BACK AND FORTH WITHOUT PUBLICITY AND ACCEPTED AS NORMAL INTERCOURSE AMONG LEADERS IN THAT AREA. HE WENT ON TO SAY SIMILARLY VISIT OF CHINESE OFFICIALS TO BURMA SHOULD BE ACCEPTED AS NORMAL ACTIVITY.

B. VIA THE UAR AMBASSADOR

ACCORDING TO UAR AMBASSADOR RAMZY, KENG PIAO CALLED ON HIM DURING CHOU'S VISIT AND INFORMED HIS AS FOLLOWS:
PRIMARY REASON FOR CHOU'S VISIT TO ENSURE RGUB DID NOT ACCEDE TO SOVIET REQUEST FOR OVERFLIGHT AND REFUELING RIGHTS IN

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BURMA FOR SOVIET AIRCRAFT ENROUTE INDONESIA (TO BE MANNED BY SOVIET MILITARY SPECIALISTS.) WHEN GENERAL NE WIN TOLD CHOU HE REFUSED MIKOYAN'S REQUEST FOR THESE RIGHTS,

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CHOU COMMENTED, "WE WANT TO TELL YOU THAT WE WILL NOT ALLOW IT." EGYPTIAN EMBASSY CONSIDERS ABOVE ISSUE AS EXPLANATION FOR INCLUSION OF REFERENCE TO ARTICLE 3 OF SINO-BURMESE TREATY IN COMMUNIQUE.

IN RESPONSE CHOU'S REQUEST THAT BURMA ATTEND FORTHCOMING NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE AND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE, NE WIN REPLIED BURMA DEFINITELY WILL ATTEND LATTER ALTHOUGH HE DOES NOT WISH TO GO PERSONALLY AND BURMA WILL ATTEND NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE IF OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF INVITEES RESPOND POSITIVELY. KENG PIAO TOLD AMB RAMZY HE HAD PASSED ABOVE INFORMATION TO PAKISTAN AND FRENCH AMBASSADORS.

PAKISTAN AMB SAW CHINESE AMB DAY FOLLOWING DEPARTURE OF MISSION BUT REPORTS KENG PIAO ONLY DISCUSSED ITEMS MENTIONED IN COMMUNIQUE. HE WILL ENDEAVOR DETERMINE WHETHER REPORT RE RE FUELING RIGHTS FOR PLANES BEING FLOWN INDONESIA ACCURATE.

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EMBASSY NOT AT ALL CONFIDENT WE HAVE GIST OF DISCUSSIONS THAT TOOK PLACE OR EVEN MAIN ITEMS DISCUSSED. FROM WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED, APPEARS VISIT DESIGNED MAKE GENERAL MORE ACUTELY AWARE OF DANGER WHICH WOULD BE ENTAILED WERE

BURMA NOT TO TAKE CHICOM INTERESTS INTO FULL ACCOUNT IN EMERGING SITUATION SEA, ENCOMPASSING US POSTURE VIETNAM, SOVIET MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO INDONESIA FOR ITS "CRUSH MALAYSIA" CAMPAIGN AND SINO-INDIAN DISPUTE.

REPORT VIA EGYPTIAN EMBASSY TO EFFECT CHICOMS SPECIFICALLY QUERIED BURMESE RE OVERFLIGHT AND REFUELING RIGHTS FOR SOVIET PLANES BEING DELIVERED INDONESIA SEEMS MOST PLAUSIBLE IN LIGHT PAST HISTORY OF BURMESE GRANTING SUCH RIGHTS SOVIET PLANES BEING FLOWN INDONESIA BY SOVIET CREWS. EMERGENCE INDONESIAN-MALAYSIAN CONFLICT MIGHT BE EXPECTED CAUSE BURMESE REVERSE PREVIOUS POSITION.

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VEHEMENCE OF SOE TIN'S OBJECTION SPECULATION AMONG
DIPLOMATS THAT CHINESE MIGHT HAVE HAD TRANSIT BURMESE
TERRITORY IN MIND PROBABLY REFLECTS CONCERN BURMA'S ABILITY
PREVENT TRANSGRESSION ITS TERRITORY IF MILITARY CONFLICT SEA
EXPANDS. BURMESE MAY INTERPRET STATEMENTS US RE EXTENSION
OF FIGHTING TO N. VIETNAM AS INDICATION WE MAY BE PREPARED
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EXTEND FIGHTING OTHER AREAS. THERE CERTAINLY NO INDICATION
THIS CONVERSATION THAT RGUB CONSIDERING MOVING CLOSER TO US
AS SUGGESTED RECENT EMBTELS. NOT CERTAIN SOE TIN OR ANY
FONOFF OFFICIAL COMPLETELY INFORMED RE DISCUSSIONS.

NO EVIDENCE SOVIET PROPOSAL FOR UN SECURITY FORCE
DISCUSSED.

CHINESE AMB'S REPORT OF AGREEMENT REPATRIATE 100,000
CHINESE BY ROAD CAME AS COMPLETE SURPRISE. EMBASSY DOES
NOT BELIEVE ANYTHING LIKE THIS NUMBER WISH RETURN CHINA,
THOUGH WE HAD ONE REPORT CHINESE BEGINNING TAKE VIEW IF
THEY TO LIVE UNDER COMMUNISM, BETTER BE CHINESE COMMUNISM.
TRANSPORTATION TO CHINA BY ROAD AND RAILROAD FEASIBLE WITH

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COMPLETION ADDITIONAL ROAD CONSTRUCTION BORDER AREAS NOW UNDERWAY. TRAFFIC APPROACHING THIS MAGNITUDE MIGHT BE EXPECTED ADVANCE EXPANSION GENERAL TRAFFIC BETWEEN YUNNAN AND BURMA.

ARMY ATTACHE HAS THIRD-HAND REPORT ATTRIBUTED BRIG THAUNG DAN THAT CHOU TOLD NE WIN PEOPLE UNFRIENDLY CHINA CROSSING BURMA BORDERS (MEANING THAILAND AND LAOS) IN BOTH DIRECTIONS AND THAT CHINESE SECURITY ENDANGERED, CHOU CFN 100,000 THAUNG DAN

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INFORMED NE WIN THAT IF BURMA CANNOT SEAL BORDERS, CHINESE WILL. THIS REPORT NOT CONFIRMED FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE BUT CHINESE REFERENCE TO SITUATION BORDER AREAS WOULD NOT BE UNEXPECTED.

BELIEVE AS RESULT THIS AND MIKOYAN VISIT AND

OTHER DEVELOPMENTS SEA, RGUB WILL EXTEND EFFORT KEEP ALL NATIONS AT ARMS LENGTH TO EXTENT POSSIBLE. OBVIOUSLY ABILITY HOLD CHINESE OFF LIMITED BUT EVEN THERE EMBASSY FEELS BURMESE RESPONSE TO CHINESE INITIATIVES MORE APT BE FAVORABLE

WHEN COINCIDES BURMESE OBJECTIVE OF REDUCING CONTACTS WITH OTHER NATIONS.

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AFTER TWO MONTH TOUR SYRIA, CHICOM DEL ENDED VISIT JULY 6.
FAWFARE WHICH ACCOMPANIED MUCH OF VISIT NOTICEABLY LACKING AT
DEPARTURE, AND WAS MENTIONED ONLY IN CONNECTION CALL CHICOM AMB ON
FOURTH. THIS DELIBERATE DOWNPLAYING AFTER TWO MONTHS TRAVEL AND
ATTACHES ON CHICOM SUPPORT FOR ARABS SUGGESTS EITHER THAT IN LAST
ANALYSIS TALKS ON UTILIZATION OF 70 MILLION SWISS FRANC CREDIT
CAME TO LITTLE OR THAT GOVS MAY HAVE INTERVENED WITH SARG.
NEXT MOVE IS VISIT OF SARG DEL TO PEKING NOW SCHEDULED
FOR AUGUST ACCORDING AL-THAMRAH JULY 10, WHICH STATES
CHICOM'S HAVE SHOWN EAGERNESS TO PURCHASE SYRIAN WHEAT WITH
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Would be greatly interested in any authoritative information on Chou En-lai and Chen Yi visit you might be able get from Foreign Minister or other appropriate ~~senior~~ senior RGUB official. As possible approach suggest you request meeting for purpose obtaining clarification of paragraph in Chou--Ne Win communique commenting on "deteriorating situation SEA". RGUB views this subject would of course be of interest in own right, irrespective of opening this approach might provide for discussing other aspects Chicom leaders' visit.

In conversation you should recall Bundy's briefing of Burmese Ambassador July 8, which illustrates our recognition Burma's legitimate interest in developments in Laos and Vietnam and in United States policy toward those countries. Indicate we hope have further discussions this sort infuture if Burmese are interested and, at same time, we would like such discussions become part of periodic exchanges of views in which RGUB would reciprocate by giving us understanding its own position on evolving SEA situation. Note that, since SEA mentioned in July 12 communique, we assume RGUB has some considered

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views both on Laos and Vietnam and we hope would agree it useful let us know those views in greater detail than expressed communique.

In conversation you should be prepared offer United States views in response to points raised by FonOff. On Laos you should draw on Depcircular CA-11494, May 5, and Depcirtel 2349, June 15, 1964. for background/^{to}supplement ~~the~~ following:

US seriously concerned over situation Laos. Over past 15 months Pathet Lao have refused adhere to Geneva Agreements, refused to cooperate with ICC, refused participate in and cooperate with Government "ational Union under PriMin Souvanna Pheuma. North Vietnamese cadre and troops continue support PL and NVN use Laos as corridor to infiltrate Viet Cong into SVN. Since early this year PL, ^{with NVN} support ~~the~~ ~~machinery~~ have launched series attacks against neutralist and conservative forces. On May 16 all-out PL attack on neutralist forces PDJ forced General Kong Le pull off plain. PL ^{now} ~~not~~ threatening last remaining foothold of neutralists in PDJ area at ~~Muong~~ Muong Soui.

To deal with situation created by these flagrant PL attacks ~~Primi~~ PriMin Souvanna appealed to US and other countries including USSR for assistance. US responded to PriMin's appeal and providing government forces with military assistance ~~as~~ ~~requested~~ which consistent with Article 6 Geneva Protocol. In addition with PriMin's approval US initiated reconnaissance to assist RLG in determining PL dispositions and intentions. PriMin also ~~appealed~~ appealed to Co-Chairmen and ICC (machinery provided by Geneva Agreements) to intervene and restore situation. Moreover he indicated RLG prepared to attend 14-nation conference to discuss situation ~~xx~~ provided cease-fire established, PL withdrew from positions on PDJ taken from

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neutralists and his authority as PriMin Government National Union recognized.

USG strongly supports preconditions set forth by PriMin Souvanna. Agreement to attend conference without these preconditions, as PriMin has stated, could only confirm as fait accompli recent PL gains. We viewed with interest proposal made by Peles end of May for more limited meeting of representatives UK and USSR as Co-Chairmen; India, Canada and Poland as ICC countries, and RLG with three Lao factions represented. Because of ^{PL and Chicom opposition} ~~Polish objections~~ Poles withdrew their proposal and we understand modified proposal under consideration. However PL have apparently rejected even this proposal, ^{although this not completely clear.} Meanwhile Souphanouvong has not replied to proposal made by Souvanna ^{July 2} for tripartite Lao meeting at New Delhi since agreement on meeting site in Laos not possible.

US has no interest for special position in Laos. US continues support settlement achieved at Geneva in 1962 which provides satisfactory framework for preserving independence and neutrality Laos provided Communist side lives up to its commitments. This the other side has failed to do. We wish make it unmistakably clear to Communist side that we determined assist PriMin Souvanna and his government to prevent Communist takeover Laos and permit Laos remain independent and neutral.

On Vietnam you may derive talking points from Depcirtel 49, July 7, 1964, Memcon Bundy--On Sein conversation of July 8, and Vietnam Status Report in CFR No. 28, July 8, 1964. Fourth and final paragraphs of CRF article should not be used.

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CIA PRESS REPORTS CHOU EN LAI AND CHEN YI DEPARTED FROM PEKING 0030 HOURS
NSA JULY 12. FONOFF OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE ON "FRIENDLY VISIT" INDICATED
OSD CHIEF TOPIC OF DISCUSSIONS WITH NE WIN WAS SEA SITUATION. CHOU
ARMY AND NE WIN "EXPRESSED THEIR DEEP CONCERN OVER DETERIORATING
NAVY SITUATION IN SEA, PARTICULARLY IN SOUTH VIETNAM AND LAOS. AFFIRMED
AIR THEIR DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE TO SEEK A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT
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OF THE SITUATION, AND AGREED THAT A CONFERENCE ON LAOTIAN
PROBLEM OF FOURTEEN GENEVA POWERS SHOULD BE CONVENED."

COMMUNIQUE ADDS THAT TWO LEADERS REVIEWED SINO-BURMAN
TECHNICAL COOPERATION AND TRADE RELATIONS AND AGREED TO SPEED
UP IMPLEMENTATION ECONOMIC COOPERATION AGREEMENT AND FURTHER
EXPAND TRADE. TWO LEADERS EXPRESSED SATISFACTION WITH
DEVELOPMENT OF FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN THEIR COUNTRIES
BASED ON FIVE PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE AND REAFFIRMED
ARTICLE 3 OF SINO-BURMAN TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP AND MUTUAL
NONAGGRESSION. (ARTICLE 3 CONTAINS MUTUAL PLEDGE NOT TO
CARRY OUT ACTS OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE OTHER NOT TO TAKE
PART IN ANY MILITARY ALLIANCE DIRECTED AGAINST OTHER PARTY.
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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT TO RANGOON PROMINENTLY FEATURED DELHI PRESS
JULY 11, 12 AND 13, AND TIMES OF INDIA JULY 13 CARRIES IN ADDITION
NANPORIA COMMENTARY, SPECULATING ON PURPOSE OF CHOU VISIT.

NEWS ARTICLES AS WELL AS NANPORIA SPECULATION TEND TO EMPHASIZE
SOUTHEAST ASIA ASPECT OF COMMUNIQUE AND NANPORIA SEES IN VISIT
POSSIBLE CHICOM SHIFT FROM MILITARY TO DIPLOMATIC APPROACH WHICH
HE SAYS CAN BE "BEWILDERING TO THOSE WHO ARE UNEXPECTEDLY EXPOSED
TO IT" ALLEGING THAT IN THE CURRENT PROGRAM OF MILITARY REINF-
ORCEMENT THE UNITED STATES HAS MADE NO PROVISION FOR A POLITICAL
APPROACH TO SOUTH-EAST ASIA." BOWLES

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IN SIX PARTS. PART I. SOURCE BAF OFFICER, EVALUATION B-2.
NUMBER OF CHICOM 1-18 WAS 3142. SOURCE WAS TOLD BY CIVIL
AIR AREA CONTROL PEOPLE THAT KUNMING WAS INITIAL STOP AFTER
DEPARTING RANGOON TO TEST THEIR KNOWLEDGE. PART II. SOURCE
BR2200006, EVALUATION B-3. SOURCE WAS TOLD BY FONMIN U THI
HAN THAT NE WIN HAD ONLY TWO DAYS ADVANCE NOTICE THAT CHOU
EN LAI AND CHEN YI WERE COMING TO RANGOON, THAT VISIT
OSTENSIBLY JUST TO FLY DOWN AND PAY RESPECTS (SAME AS NE WIN

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FLIGHT TO SEE NEHRU SHORTLY BEFORE LATTER'S DEATH). U THI
HAN SAID PRIMARY TOPIC OF DISCUSSIONS WAS SITUATION IN RVN
AND LAOS, THAT CHOU ASSURED NE WIN THAT PRC WILL STAND BY
BURMA IF AMERICAN WAR IN SE ASIA ESCALATES TO POINT WHERE
BURMA MAY BECOME INVOLVED. (COMMENT: FONOFF COMMUNIQUE
STATES CHOU AND NE WIN REAFFIRMED 1960 TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP
AND MUTUAL NONAGGRESSION WHICH STATES EACH CONTRACTING POWER
UNDERTAKES NOT TO CARRY OUT ACTS OF AGGRESSION AGAINST THE
OTHER AND NOT TO TAKE PART IN ANY MILITARY ALLIANCE DIRECTED
AGAINST THE OTHER.) FONMIN TOLD SOURCE HE CONTINUALLY CAUTIONS
NE WIN AGAINST TRUSTING CHICOMS BECAUSE THEY HAVE QUOTE BROKEN
THEIR PROMISES UNQUOTE WITH THE BURMESE SO OFTEN. (COMMENT:
THIS MIGHT PERTAIN TO CHICOM SUPPORT OF WHITE FLAG COMMUNISTS,
POSSIBLY ALSO TO BORDER PROBLEMS.) IT ALSO THI HAN'S OPINION
THAT CHOU VISIT WAS ADDITIONALLY PROMPTED TO COUNTER RECENT

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MIKOYAN VISIT (COMMENT: SAME FONOFF COMMUNIQUE ALSO MENTIONS SPEED UP IN IMPLEMENTATION OF SINO-BURMESE ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL PROJECTS AND EXPANSION OF TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES). PART III. SOURCE BR22000006, EVALUATION B-2. THI HAN TOLD SOURCE THAT CHEN YI HAS STOPPED SMOKING, HIS HEALTH NOT TOO

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GOOD. AT PREVIOUS MEETING WITH SOURCE, CHEN YI WAS CHAIN SMOKER. SOURCE SAYS CHEN YI SPEAKS EXCELLENT ENGLISH WITH AMERICAN ACCENT. PART IV. SOURCE BR22000006, EVALUATION B-2. U THI HAN FOR SOME TIME HAD REQUESTED SOURCE TO INTRODUCE HIM TO DEVOUT BUDDHIST LAYMAN WHO DEVOTES MUCH TIME TO ESP. THIS MAN HAD STEADFASTLY REFUSED TO MEET THI HAN UNTIL 12 JULY, THEN WOULD NOT STAY TO TALK AT LATTER'S HOUSE BECAUSE OF SECURITY GUARDS, INSISTED THAT THI HAN ACCOMPANY HIM TO PAGODA. AT PAGODA, HE ORDERED THI HAN AROUND LIKE A SCHOOLBOY AND VISIBLY IMPRESSED THI HAN WITH HIS ESP POWERS. HE TOLD THI HAN THAT LATTER MUST CONVINCE NE WIN TO THINK TWICE BEFORE MAKING RASH DECISIONS, ALSO TOLD HIM THAT CHINA BEAR AND RUSSIAN HAMMER AND SICKLE WOULD BE VANQUISHED BY AMERICAN EAGLE. SOURCE IS CONVINCED THAT THI HAN PLACES CONSIDERABLE WEIGHT UPON THESE ESP WARNINGS AND PREDICTIONS. PART V. SOURCE BR21000013, EVALUATION B-3. SOURCE WAS TOLD BY BUDDHIST MONK (EVALUATION F) THAT CHOU VISIT HAD THREE PURPOSES. A. CHOU PROMISED MILITARY SUPPORT TO BURMA AS PROTECTION AGAINST EXPANSION OF LAOS AND RVN CONFLICTS TO

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BURMA. B. CHOU ASKED NE WIN FOR PERMISSION TO STATION UNDISCLOSED NUMBER OF CHICOM TROOPS IN BURMA. C. CHOU WANTED TO FIND OUT ABOUT MIKOYAN VISIT AND TO TAKE WHATEVER STEPS NECESSARY TO ASSURE SUPERIORITY CHICOM INFLUENCE IN BURMA VIS-A-VIS SOVIET INFLUENCE. PART VI. AIRA COMMENT: ALTHOUGH ONLY SPECULATION, IT IS VERY POSSIBLE THAT CHICOMS ANTICIPATE EXPANDED CONFRONTATION WITH US IN SE ASIA AND THAT THEY ARE ANXIOUS TO PUT A LOCK ON THEIR BURMESE BACK DOOR.
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ARMY

SUDDEN VISIT CHOU EN LAI AND CHEN YI TO RANGOON.

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PRESS TODAY DESCRIBES VISIT CHOU EN LAI AND CHEN YI AND
"FRIENDLY PRIVATE VISIT". NO REFERENCE TO PURPOSE OR DURATION.

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YESTERDAY AFTERNOON FON MIN U THI HAN TOLD PERSONAL FRIEND
AND FRIEND OF EMB THAT FIRST NOTICE BURMESE HAD OF VISIT WAS
MESSAGE STATING CHOU AND CHEN AND PARTY WOULD ARRIVE WITHIN SIX
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HOURS; THAT THEY THEN KEPT WAITING SEVERAL HOURS AT AIRPORT
(GUARDS CUSTOMARY WHEN GENERAL NE WIN TRAVELS ROUTE OBSERVED
ALONG ROUTE FROM CHINESE EMBASSY TO AIRPORT AS EARLY AS SEVEN
AM; PLANE LANDED AT 10:35 AM; GENERAL, TIN PE, THI HAN, ET6.
AND CHINESE AMBASSADOR AND STAFF MET VISITORS); CHINESE HAD
INDICATED BUT HAD NOT SAID OUTRIGHT THAT THEY WOULD GO ON TO
INDONESIA; CHOU HAD REMARKED THAT IT WAS NOT NECESSARY FOR HIM
TO BE MET AT AIRPORT BY BURMESE, THAT IT WOULD HAVE SUFFICED
FOR HIM TO BE MET BY CHINESE AMBASSADOR AND TAKEN TO
EMBASSY. ASKED PURPOSE OF VISIT THI HAN REPLIED, "RANGOON
THEIR ONLY GATE".

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EMBASSY HAS NO INFORMATION RE PURPOSE VISIT. COMPOSITION OF GROUP AND CIRCUMSTANCES INDICATE ISSUES OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE TO CHINESE AND SUGGEST CHICOM PREPAREDNESS EXERT PRESSURE.

EMBASSY SPECULATION RE PURPOSE VISIT AS FOLLOWS:

1. COUNTER MIKOYAN VISIT: NO INDICATION HERE VISIT OF MIKOYAN SHOULD HAVE CAUSED CONCERN TO CHICOMS. OUTWARD INDICATIONS INCLUDING PRESS ARE THAT MIKOYAN COOLY RECEIVED. ALSO CIRCUMSTANCES OF CHICOM VISIT DO NOT FIT CONCEPT OF TOUR TO OFFSET MIKOYAN INFLUENCE.
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2. COUNTER INFLUENCE OF NEW US POSTURE SEA: AGREE WITH HONG KONG'S VIEW THAT TRIP STEMS FROM OVERRIDING CONCERN WHOLE SEA PROBLEM (HONGKONG TEL SENT DEPT 41). WE MORE AND MORE OF VIEW THAT OUR MOVES IN VIETNAM HAVE CAUSED GENERAL TO CAREFULLY RETHINK BURMESE POSITION VIS-A-VIS THE US (EMBTTEL 29) (NOTAL). THIS VIEW SHARED BY OTHER OBSERVERS AND SUPPORTED BY EXTREME RESERVE WITH WHICH BURMESE PRESS HAS REACTED TO INCREASED US COMMITMENT SUPPORT THOSE RESISTING COMMUNIST AGGRESSION SEA. WHAT THEY WANT FROM BURMESE THIS CONNECTION NOT CLEAR. PRESENCE OF CHOU AND FON MIN APPEARS SOMEWHAT TOO MUCH IF OBJECTIVE TO WARN BURMESE NOT BE TEMPTED REVERSE TREND LOOSENING TIES WITH US. PERHAPS MISSION ASSOCIATED WITH CHICOM RESPONSE US ACTION IN LAOS, BURMA OR BOTH. NEW CHINESE MOVES IN LAOS MIGHT REQUIRE ACCESS THAT PORTION BURMA WHICH JETS OUT INTO LAOS AND CHINA AND SEPARATES THEM. AGREE WITH HONG KONG ALSO THAT ONE MOTIVE, STATED OR REAL, MIGHT BE TO OFFSET KMT MOVEMENTS IN SHAN STATES. MORE ACTIVE BURMESE SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ANOTHER POSSIBILITY; PERHAPS INCLUDING THE OFFERING OF RANGOON AS SITE SUCH CONFERENCE.

3. DETERIORATING SITUATION IN BURMA: HIGHLY LIKELY
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CHINESE AMBASSADOR'S REPORTS ON PRESENT SITUATION HERE AS
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PESSIMISTIC AS OUR OWN. INDIAN AMBASSADOR REPORTS THAT ON OCCASION HIS CALL ON KENG PIAO HE AMAZED TO FIND HIMSELF IN DUET WITH THE CHINESE WITH EACH PROVIDING A CHORUS FOR THE OTHER'S UNCOMPLIMENTARY REFERENCES TO THIS REGIME. ALMOST COMPLETE WITHDRAWAL OF BURMESE ARMED FORCES, HENCE BURMESE CONTROL FROM KACHIN AREA COUPLED WITH DECLINING BURMESE AUTHORITY SHAN STATES AND MOUNTING ECONOMIC DISINTEGRATION AND THE CORRESPONDING INCREASING DISSATISFACTION AMONG THE PEOPLE MAY CAUSE CHICOMS TO ENDEAVOR STRENGTHEN THEIR CAPACITY INFLUENCE SITUATION SHOULD IT FALL APART. (EMBASSY DOES NOT SEE THIS HAPPENING IN COMING MONTHS BUT MORE AND MORE OBSERVERS ARE LOSING CONFIDENCE IN THE GENERAL'S ABILITY TO MAINTAIN HIS PRESENT COURSE WITHOUT ENDANGERING THE STABILITY OF HIS REGIME.)

4. COUNTER SOVIET INFLUENCE: WHILE SOVIET-ORIENTED BURMESE COMMUNISTS HAVE INSIDE TRACK IN THIS GOVERNMENT, AND THEIR PE MYINT HITS CHINESE HARD AND REGULARLY IN THE BOTATOUNG, DOUBT THIS SUFFICIENTLY WORRISOME TO CHICOMS TO WARRANT VISIT OF THIS NATURE, THOUGH MIGHT BE THEY WILL REFER TO SOVIET ROLE IN BURMA. MIGHT ALSO EXPECT THEM TO RAISE

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SUBJECT OF STATUS WHITE FLAG COMMUNISTS (EMBASSY HAS HAD NO RECENT REPORTS CONCERNING CONVERSATIONS WHICH REPORTEDLY HAVE BEEN GOING ON BETWEEN RGUB AND WHITE FLAG LEADERS, PARTICULARLY BO ZEYA). THERE ALWAYS POSSIBILITY CHICOMS MAY OFFER HELP IN REDUCING MINORITY INSURGENCY IN EXCHANGE FOR RGUB CONCESSIONS WHICH WILL PERMIT WHITE FLAGS COME ABOVE GROUND. (IF WE RIGHT IN BELIEVING US MOVES IN VIETNAM HAVE MADE STRONG IMPRESSION ON GENERAL, DANGER OF HIS MAKING DEAL WITH COMMUNISTS SHOULD BE LESS.)

5. VISIT U THANT: REVERTING TO VIEW CHICOMS PROBABLY CONCERNED SEA AS WHOLE, EMBASSY SPECULATES THEY MAY WISH GENERAL TO TRANSMIT CHICOM PROPOSALS TO U THANT ON OCCASION HIS VISIT RANGOON JULY 25-27.

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CIA CHOU EN-LAI ARRIVED RANGOON THIS MORNING.
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OSD VISIT WAS STATIONING OF GUARDS ALONG ROUTE FROM AIRPORT
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FROM ^P : Amembassy KARACHI

DATE: July 8, 1964

SUBJECT: Communist Chinese Delegation Inspects Karachi Airport

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An eight member Communist Chinese delegation arrived in Karachi on July 3 for a three day visit to inspect the facilities of Karachi International Airport. The delegation, which was led by Vice-Mayor Li Kan-cheng of Shanghai, had inspected airport facilities in various European countries during the earlier part of its tour.

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Comment: It has been reported that Communist China is interested in purchasing communications and other equipment needed for the expansion of her airports for increased international service, and may be seeking the assistance of Pakistan International Airlines. It is likely that the delegation has been investigating both the requirements for modern international airports and their availability from Western sources.

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For the Charge d'Affaires ad interim:

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VICE FORMIN H. K. YANG DEPARTING TAIPEI JUNE 25 ON AFRICAN TOUR. SCHEDULED TO BE IN BLANTYRE JULY 2-8 ATTENDING INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATIONS. HOPES TO HAVE MALAWI AGREEMENT ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC MISSION BEFORE LEAVING BLANTYRE, IN WHICH CASE HE WILL LEAVE BEHIND GRC CHARGE OR SOME REPRESENTATIVE TO SET UP EMBASSY AND MAINTAIN PRESENCE. ONLY FEAR EXPRESSED BY YANG'S DEPUTY HERE IS THAT CHICOM AMB FOR TANGANYIKA, DURING RECENT BLANTYRE VISIT, MAY HAVE DISTRIBUTED BRIBES TO INFLUENCE KEY PERSONS TO FAVOR CHICOM DIPLOMATIC TIE. YANG ENCOURAGED BY NEWS THAT BANDA AGAIN HAS REBUFFED CHICOM REQUEST THAT GRC INVITATION TO CEREMONY BE WITHDRAWN.

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Civil Servant Head External Affairs has just informed us that GRC taken off Civil Servant proposed Independence invitation list at Cabinet level on grounds desire avoid type of incident involving fisticuffs between CHICOM and GRC representatives reported to have occurred in East Africa. List now being sent to London but believe this decision subject to review or recommendations and does not necessarily reflect Kaunda's final decision. Kaunda has previously stated NRG desires friendly relations all peoples and has not been unfriendly to CONGEN Wei.

On balance we think might be better for Yang visit Lusaka after Malawi Independence but for Wei come rather soon to make appointments etc., and keep issue alive.

Best chance GRC has here is dual representation which Cabinet more likely to envisage after practical demonstration at Blantyre. Cabinet just now in process sorting self out on meaning and application non-alignment; and moderates more likely to have faced up to need beat down East-leaning type neutralism after Malawi Independence and passage critical early July period for Congo and Southern Rhodesia. Chinese recognition issue likely to be first

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CHICOM industrial delegation numbering 16 departed for Latakia June 15 after five day uneventful visit. Delegation toured Cotton Bureau, cotton gin and factories manufacturing textiles, batteries, faucets, vegetable oils. Public notice confined short inside page newspaper report wax change assurances of solidarity of imperialism and Zionism between governor and delegation.

Treatment of delegation by Aleppo officials and businessmen appeared perfunctorily courteous. Director Industry Abu Hala who handled visit non-committal but stated that there was little or no discussion special project or plans.

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EMBOFF JUNE 11 DISCUSSED SUBSTANCE BLANTYRE'S 180 WITH VICE
FONMIN YANG.

YANG SAID HE ANTICIPATES CHICOMS MAY, HAVING TAKEN DECISION
ATTEND INDEPENDENCE CEREMONY, AT LEAST INITIATE MOVE ESTABLISH
EMBASSY BLANTYRE.
YANG SAID GRC CONGEN JOHANNESBURG, DR. WEI, HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED

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VISIT BLANTYRE IN ADVANCE OF CEREMONY, PROBABLY LATTER DAYS
JUNE, TO PREPARE FOR GRC ATTENDANCE AT CEREMONY AS WELL AS
ESTABLISHMENT DIPLMATIC RELATIONS AND OPENING OF MISSION.

YANG SAID PRESIDENT HAS SIGNED ORDER NAMING HIM AS SPECIAL
EMISSARY TO CELEBRATION AND PUBLIC WILL BE MADE JUNE 12.
YANG ALSO CONSIDERS NEWSWEEK ARTICLE UNFORTUNATE IN THAT I
PUTS BANDA IN AWKWARD POSITION. WITH THIS IN MIND, GRC BELIEVES
IT BEST NOT MAKE ADVANCE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT INTENTIONS
ESTABLISH EMBASSY.

YANG SAID HE CURRENTLY PLANNING DEPART TAIPEI JUNE 22, MEET
EITHER MBOYA OR HIS REP IN KENYA OR SOME OTHER POINT, VISIT
LUSAKA AND ARRIVE BLANTYRE JULY 2. HE PLANS DEPART BLANTYRE

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SUBJECT :	Chinese Women's Delegation Arrives				
REF :					

A delegation of three women from the People's Republic of China arrived in Dar es Salaam yesterday for a two week visit. The group was led by Mrs. Tsao Meng CHUN a member of the Presidium of the Chinese National Federation of Women. The invitation to the Chinese had been extended by the Tanganyika Women's Organization, Umoja Wa Wanawake wa Tanganyika (UWT). They were met at the airport by Titi MOHAMED, President of the UWT and the Chinese Charge here SHIH-KU.

Mrs. Chun in her speech denied the delay was due to difficulties in obtaining transit visas through some countries. Previous reports had the group delayed in Moscow. She said the purpose of the visit was friendship and a chance to study "our sisters in Tanganyika."

Titi Mohamed expressed the desire of the UWT to have strong, friendly ties with the women of China who have been longing to be the friends of Tanganyikan women.

The Chinese delegation will tour Morogoro, Mikumi and Kilosa, returning to Dar es Salaam on May 21 for a public reception. They will then travel to Mwanza, Arusha, Moshi and Tanga and will return again on May 30 when they will be given a reception here by Vice President KAWANA.

Comment: This is the third Chinese delegation to visit Tanganyika since February. The other two groups consisted of agricultural experts.

For the Ambassador:

Robert T. Hennemeyer
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Deputy Chief of Mission

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DATE: May 17, 1964

FROM : Amembassy, KHARTOUM

SUBJECT: Belated Invitation to Attend Aswan Dam Ceremony

REF :

At the time of Chou En-Lai's visit to the Sudan in January 1964 President Abboud confirmed acceptance of a previously extended invitation to visit the CPR and agreed that the visit would take place in May before his visit to the UK which had already been set for May 26.

On March 7 the independent but UAR-influenced El-Rei el Amm stated that according to the Egyptian press Nasser had invited 41 African and Arab heads of state to attend the Aswan Dam ceremony in May. On April 17 El-Rei el Amm printed a UAR press release officially denying that such invitations had been extended.

In the meantime Khrushchev's visit to the Aswan Dam ceremony was confirmed and the date set for May 15. On April 30 the GOS announced Abboud's time schedule which indicated that he would leave Khartoum May 12 for Karachi and his three-day state visit to Pakistan, from which he would proceed to Peiping. At about the same time Khartoum gossip had it that Nasser had not invited Abboud to attend the ceremony in a pique over the latter's lukewarm support of the UAR's anti-British campaign with respect to South Arabia and Libya.

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On May 10 it was announced in the press that the UAR Charge had extended official invitations that day to President Abboud and Minister of Irrigation Mekki el Manna to attend the ceremonies at the Aswan High Dam on May 15. According to the press the President had "accepted" the invitation but had further replied that due to his schedule of state visits he would be unable to attend personally; he would be represented by the Minister of Irrigation. Later the Minister of Irrigation also declined, claiming the belated invitation did not allow him sufficient time to shift his schedule which also included the work load of the absent Minister of Works.

The Sudanese Ambassador to Nigeria, Beshir el Bekri, a usually well-informed source, told Ambassador Rountree just before the news of the belated invitations arrived, that it was regrettable that the UAR had not seen fit to invite the President of the Sudan to the ceremony; after all, the Sudan was intimately connected with the Aswan Dam.

COMMENT: For domestic political reasons President Abboud most likely did not want to attend a ceremony commemorating a project highly unpopular in the Sudan and it does appear that decisions taken early this year on the timing of Abboud's state visits virtually precluded his attendance at the Aswan Dam ceremony. However, the lateness of the invitation and the clumsy handling of the whole matter on the part of the UAR now permits Abboud to feel insulted, if he is disposed to do so, and opens the way to placing the blame on the UAR for his failure to attend the Aswan ceremonies. Apparently, in the light of criticism of Nasser on this score freely expressed in private by GOS officials, President Abboud prefers to blame his non-attendance on Nasser rather than on his own decision to undertake a series of state visits in May.

For the Ambassador:

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ARMY ONE WEEK VISIT TO PAKISTAN APPEAR TO BE GETTING NOTICEABLY
NAVY LOW KEY TREATMENT AND PRESS PLAY IN CONTRAST TO CHICOM
AIR TREATMENT OF SIMILAR PAK GROUP NOW VISITING COMMUNIST
CHINA. THUS WHILE PAK PRESS GAVE FRONT PAGE COVERAGE
TO BANQUETS AND COMMENTS BY CHICOM LEADERS EMANATING
FROM PEIPING, THERE LITTLE PROMINENCE IN PRESS CONCERNING
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ACTIVITIES OF CHICOM VISITORS HERE.

2. ON MAY 1 KARACHI MUNICIPAL CORPORATION (KMC) HELD
PUBLIC RECEPTION FOR GROUP IN UNIMPRESSIVE JEHANGIR PARK.
RECEPTION HOSTED BY KMC VICE CHAIRMAN HABIBULLAH ATTENDED
BY NO MORE THAN 250 PERSONS. BURMESE DIPLOMAT WHO
ATTENDED NOTED PRESENCE OF ONLY 5 MEMBERS DIPLOMATIC
COMMUNITY AND ONLY ONE AMBASSADOR OTHER THAN CHICOM AMONG
THEM.

3. GROUP REMAINED ONLY BRIEFLY IN KARACHI, HAS VISITED
RAWALPINDI, PESHAWAR AND DACCA. PUBLIC FOCUS ON
GROUP IN THESE SMALLER CITIES WILL POSSIBLY BE SOMEWHAT
GREATER BUT NOT LIKELY CHANGE EMBASSY'S PRESENT ESTIMATE
THAT PRESENCE AND ACTIVITIES OF GROUP BEING PURPOSELY
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SALAAM KAMPALA NAIROBI MOSCOW UNN FROM DAMASCUS FIFTH.

SARG RADIO MAY 2 AND AL-THAWRAH MAY 3 QUOTED " DIPLOMATIC
SOURCES" IN PEKING AS ANNOUNCING THAT CHOU EN-LAI
WOULD SOON VISIT SYRIA, IRAQ, YEMEN, KENYA, UGANDA,
TANZANIA, AND ZANZIBAR (EMB A321).

EMBASSY CHECK WITH HIGH-LEVEL FONOFF OFFICIAL REVEALED
THAT HE, AT LEAST, KNEW NOTHING OF PROPOSED VISIT TO SYRIA,
BUT VIEWED IT AS QUITE POSSIBLE.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER "NEWS" OF VISIT AND PERHAPS PART
OF BUILD-UP WAS MAY 4 AL-BAATH COMMENTARY, ALSO BROADCAST,
WHICH DECLARED THAT CPR POSITION RE PALESTINE IS UNEQUIVOCAL,
SOUND AND IDEOLOGICALLY BASED. PARTY ORGAN

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APPLAUDED RECENT CPR ANNOUNCEMENT REAFFIRMING ITS
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-2- 760, MAY 5, FROM DAMASCUS

THEIR SUSTENANCE OF ALL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS AND FURTHERING OF SOCIALIST STRUGGLE CONSTITUTE A MODEL FOR THOSE WHO RESIST IMPERIALISM AND DESERVES ADMIRATION AND GRATITUDE OF STRUGGLING ARAB PEOPLE. CHINESE SUPPORT, IT WAS STATED, PLACES MIGHT OF BIGGEST STATE IN WORLD ON SIDE OF ARABS.

COINCIDING WITH ABOVE IS CURRENT VISIT OF CHICOM HAD DELEGATION RETURNING FROM MECCA THAT IS BEING EXPLOITED FOR PUBLIC PROFESSIONS OF SYRO-CPR FRIENDSHIP. FURTHER, CPR ECON DEL SCHEDULED ARRIVE MAY 6 OSTENSIBLY FOR DISCUSSION OF USE CPR CREDIT OF 70 MILLION SWISS FRANCS EXTENDED FEB 1963.

ALSO COINCIDING WITH ABOVE IN POINT OF TIME, EXTREMIST LABOR WEEKLY AL-ISHTIRAKI PUBLISHED PROVOCATIVE ARTICLE MAY 2 TAKING ISSUE WITH ALLEGED STATEMENT BY ALEXEI ADZHUBEI AT APRIL 7 PARIS PRESS DINNER THAT KHRUSHCHEV'S DEC 31 STATEMENT ON PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT TERRITORIAL DISPUTES APPLIED ARAB-ISRAEL CONFLICT.

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PROFESSING ASTONISHMENT AND REGRET AT IZVESTIA EDITOR'S APPEAL FOR PEACE BETWEEN ARABS AND ISRAEL AND HIS URGING THAT "BID POWERS NOT PROVOKE WAR" BETWEEN THEM, PAPER ASKED: "IS THIS NEW EVIDENCE SOVIET ACCEPTANCE OF ZIONISM AND ISRAEL AND HAS SOV VIEW RE IMPERIALISM CHANGED?" ADDING THAT ARAB LABOR CLASS HAS FORGOTTEN SOVIETS' MISTAKE IN VOTING FOR UN PARTITION MOTION BECAUSE SOV SUBSEQUENT STANCE HAS SHOWN STEADFAST OPPOSITION TO ISRAEL AS BRIDGEHEAD OF IMPERIALISM IN M.E., ISHTIRAKI DEMANDED TO KNOW WHETHER ADZHUBEI, AS KHRUSHCHEV'S SON-IN-LAW AND SOVIET SPOKESMAN, HAD SUCCEMIBED ZIONIST PRESSURES AND WHETHER SOV OPPOSITION TO IMPERIALISM HAD CHANGED. DEMANDING EXPLANATION, PAPER CONCLUDED THAT SLOGAN OF PEACE BETWEEN ARABS-ISRAEL IS FAVORITE CLICHE IMPERIALISTS HAVE TRIED IMPOSE SINCE ESTABLISHMENT ISRAEL -- "AND KHRUSHCHEV HAS SAID, HE WHO REPEATS IMPERIALISTS' WORDS DOES NOT DIFFER MUCH FROM THEM."

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COMMENT: CPR HAS LARGE AND ACTIVE EMBASSY HERE. WHILE CHICOMS WORK IN ALMOST TOTAL ISOLATION FROM OTHER FOREIGN REPS, REGULAR REMINDERS OF THEIR PRESENCE HAVE BEEN FREQUENT APPEARANCE OF CPR SOURCED AND PRESUMABLY SUBSIDIZED ARTICLES IN DAMASCUS PRESS, ROUTINE PRESS

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NOTICES OF CHICOM DIPLOMATS' CALLS ON SARG OFFICIALS, AND CHICOM ATTENDANCE IN FORCE AT ALL SARG PUBLIC FUNCTIONS. SINCE EARLY MONTHS OF BAATH REGIME SARG HAS SHOWN QUIET INTEREST IN COURTSHIP WITH CHICOMS WHO, WE BELIEVE, HAVE EXPLOITED EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO INGRATIATE SELVES AND DISCREDIT USSR AS WELL AS US. DURING RECENT PERIOD CPR EFFORTS HAVE BEGUN PAY OFF AS MILITANT, SOCIALIST, BAATHIST SYRIA IS BEING INCREASINGLY REBUFFED EVERYWHERE. KEY FACTOR, OF COURSE, IS CPR ESPOUSAL OF SARG'S BELLIGERENT LINE TOWARDS ISRAEL.

NOTWITHSTANDING ABOVE, WE BELIEVE MAJORITY OF SARG IS CONSCIOUS OF INABILITY CPR TO AID IN STRUGGLE -- AND POSSIBLY FIGHT -- VS ISRAEL WITH LITTLE ELSE THAN WORDS. THUS, THEY REMAIN FULLY CONSCIOUS OF NEED PROTECT SYRIA'S RELATIONSHIP WITH USSR, ITS REAL SOURCE OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT AND ITS MAJOR SOURCE OF ECONOMIC AID. THUS, WE TEND CONCLUDE IN FINAL ANALYSIS THAT DANGEROUS AND DYNAMIC ELEMENTS PUSHING CAUSE OF COMMIE CHINESE ARE EXTREMIST LEFT-WING BAATHIS-- DESCRIBED BY SOME AS MORE MARXIST THAN BAATHI -- PLUS EAGCLIDENT ELEMENTS FROM MOSCOW ORIENTED AND STILL OFFICIALLY BANNED SYRIAN CP, INSTIGATED AND EXPLOITED MOST OF ALL BY CHICOMS THEMSELVES.

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CHOU EN-LAI'S REPORT ON AFRICAN TOUR, DELIVERED ON UNDISCLOSED DATE TO JOINT MEETING OF NPC STANDING COMMITTEE AND STATE COUNCIL AND RELEASED IN SUMMARY APRIL 25, CONSISTS LARGELY OF PANEGRIC ON WARM RECEPTION HE AND CHEN YI RECEIVED AND OF STOCK CHARGES OF US HOSTILITY TO CPR, BUT TWO NEW POINTS ARE OF INTEREST:

1. KHRUSHCHEV'S PROPOSAL ON RENUNCIATION OF FORCE - FOLLOWING UP LESS AUTHORITATIVE CHICOM ATTACKS ON KHRUSHCHEV'S DEC 31 PROPOSAL RECENTLY MADE IN ALGIERS AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY MEETING AND BUDAPEST CONCLAVE OF LAWYERS, CHOU EN-LAI DISMISSED PROPOSAL AS "NEW FRAUD (I.E. COMPARABLE TO TEST BAN TREATY) WHICH SERVES IMPERIALIST POLICIES OF AGGRESSION AND WAR."

CHOU ARGUED THAT PROPOSAL DELIBERATELY CONFUSES TWO CATEGORIES OF DISPUTES: 1) IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION AND OCCUPATION OTHER COUNTRIES' TERRITORIES AND 2) TERRITORIAL DISPUTES AND BOUNDARY QUESTIONS LEFT OVER BY HISTORY. ALTHOUGH SOLUTION OF SECOND KIND OF DISPUTE "COULD AND SHOULD BE SOLVED BY PEACEFUL NEGOTIATIONS," IN DEALING WITH FIRST CATEGORY OF DISPUTE (WHERE PEIPING OBVIOUSLY PLACES TAIWAN), COUNTRIES "NATURALLY HAVE EVERY RIGHT TO RECOVER THEIR TERRITORIES BY ANY MEANS."

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2. CHINESE CHAUVINISM - CLOSING SECTION OF SPEECH WAS UNUSUALLY PLAIN-SPOKEN ADMONITION BY CHOU AGAINST CERTAIN ATTITUDES AMONG CHINESE (AND WE WOULD ASSUME AMONG CCP LEADERSHIP) WHICH WERE INCOMPATIBLE WITH WHAT CHOU FORECAST AS "PROLONGED AND ARDUOUS STRUGGLE AGAINST IMPERIALISM, REACTIONARIES OF VARIOUS COUNTRIES, AND MODERN REVISIONISM." CHOU WARNED AGAINST CONCEIT AND IMPETUOSITY, URGED MODESTY AND PRUDENCE, AND IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS ADMONISHED AGAINST "ANY MANIFESTATION OF GREAT POWER CHAUVINISM." HE ADDED: "THERE ARE FLOWERS IN ALL LANDS. WE MUST ... LEARN EARNESTLY ALL THAT IS GOOD FROM PEOPLES OF WHOLE WORLD."

COMMENT: WHILE CHOU'S ADMONITIONS AGAINST GREAT POWER CHAUVINISM ARE HELPFUL FOR PROMOTING PEIPING'S CAUSE ABROAD, WE SUSPECT THAT CHOU WAS NOT JUST SPEAKING FOR PROPAGANDA EFFECT. CONCEIVABLE THAT AFTER HIS THREE MONTH EXPOSURE TO MOOD AND TEMPO OF AFRO-ASIAN WORLD, CHOU ON HIS RETURN MAY HAVE BEEN CONCERNED BY EVIDENCE OF INSULARITY AND INTELLECTUAL ARROGANCE AMONG SENIOR PERSONNEL AND PERSISTENCE IN ATTITUDE NOT CONDUCTIVE TO UTILIZATION OF FOREIGN TECHNIQUES AND INFORMATION OR TO EXTENSION OF CHINESE INFLUENCE AMONG SENSITIVE AND PROUD AFRO-ASIANS. CONGEN DOES NOT WANT TO MAKE TOO MUCH OUT OF WHAT MAY SUPERFICIALLY APPEAR TO BE FINGER WAVING BY CHOU AT HARDLINE POLITBURO COLLEAGUES, BUT IT SEEMS FAIR TO INFER THAT SOME TUGGING AND HAULING WITHIN LEADERSHIP HAVE BEEN GOING ON RELATING TO ISSUE OF HOW MUCH TACTICAL FLEXIBILITY CAN BE TOLERATED BEFORE CHINA'S RIGID DOCTRINAL STANCE IS UNDERCUT. IN ANY EVENT, TENOR OF CHOU'S PLEA FOR MODESTY AND RECEPTIVITY TO FOREIGN IDEAS PROVIDES A CURIOUS CONTRAST WITH MONUMENTAL ARROGANCE AND SELF-RIGHTEOUSNESS OF RECENT CCP POLEMICS WITH CPSU. (REFTEL 1292) CONGEN NOW UNDERTAKING STUDY OF RECENT NUANCES WHICH MIGHT BE INDICATIVE OF PROBLEMS WITHIN CCP LEADERSHIP.

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Chinese Communist Foreign Minister Marshal Chen Yi and party stopped overnight in Rangoon April 17 on way home from Djakarta preparatory meeting for second Afro-Asian conference. Burmese Foreign Minister U Thishan and Defense and Foreign Office officials greeted Chen Yi at airport. Chen Yi party had made brief unpublicized Rangoon stop en route Djakarta April 10.

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TO : DEPARTMENT OF STATE

INFO : PARIS, TRIPOLI

FROM : AmEmbassy, ALGIERS

DATE: April 17, 1964

SUBJECT: Purpose of Chinese Delegation Visit to Hassi Messaoud.

REF :

Mohamed Ben LAKHAL, Administrateur and ranking civilian authority of the Hassi Messaoud area, 900 kilometers southeast of Algiers where somewhat more than half of the oil of Algeria is produced, responded as follows to a casual remark by the reporting officer during his visit to Hassi Messaoud (11-14 April) concerning the visit of a Chinese delegation to that area last February:

First, he conveyed a feeling of despair as he recollected the tight schedule on which the Chinese delegation worked to the extent of skipping lunch in order to continue with their collection of information. He expressed also a feeling of annoyance at the crude manner with which the Chinese would ask questions and proceeded to jot down the answers. There was, however, a tinge of admiration of the Chinese for their ability and willingness to work hard.

Second, Mr. Ben Lakhal said that the Chinese were not interested in oil or gas and asked very few questions about production and marketing figures. What they were interested in was information about French equipment used in Hassi Messaoud and French techniques used in the entire process from drilling to production. They were making notes of names and models of the equipment they were seeing, capacity of performance, spare parts, resistance to climatic conditions, specialized training required for operating this equipment, etc. They went into similar detailed

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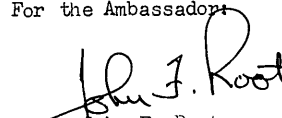
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questioning about technical processes such as separation of gas from crude oil, reinjection of gas into the well. He added that the Chinese were not interested in equipment from any other country, especially from the United States because every time "out of sheer desire to needle them," he would suggest that they look at some American equipment or better yet that they visit the Sinclair Oil camp, they made it clear that they were not interested.

Comment

Ben Lakhal was aware of the fact that the Chinese delegation had come to Algiers after a long visit to France where he claimed they had been visiting plants and obtaining information about machinery and equipment. He appeared quite confident about his conclusion concerning the purpose of the Chinese delegation's visit to Hassi Messaoud and took pride in the fact that he had not been misled by the general impression that was created in Algerian and foreign circles about an alleged Chinese interest in purchasing Algerian oil. In referring one time to a Russian delegation's visit to Hassi Messaoud he qualified it as primarily touristic.

For the Ambassador:


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Counselor of Embassy

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At April 15 dinner, Czech Charge Adolf Panz told me that he considered concerns of his government and USG as to CPR now substantially coincided. He then asked my assessment of Chou En-Lai visit to Pakistan. After I had replied non-committally stating our information based on final communique issued during visit, he said his information was that CHICOMS had made effort in economic field going somewhat beyond what was publicly announced. He understood CHICOMS had made trade and aid offers to Pakistanis but that Paks did not accept them during visit. He thought proposals might have been left open for possible future discussions.

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OUR A-107 JAN 24 REPORTED THAT SPEAKER MAEDA OF OSAKA PREFECTURAL ASSEMBLY WAS SENDING INVITATION TO MAYOR AND MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY OF SHANGHAI TO VISIT OSAKA.

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TO : Department of State

INFO : Aleppo, Baghdad

FROM : AmEmbassy, DAMASCUS

DATE: April 16, 1964

SUBJECT: Rumor of Possible Visit to Syria by Chou En Lai

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Embassy inquired of source in Ministry of Foreign Affairs whether there was any truth in the item published on the "Periscope" page of the April 6 Newsweek to the effect that Chicom Prime Minister Chou En Lai may soon visit the Middle East and is seeking invitations to Syria as well as Iraq.

As far as our source could ascertain, there is no substance in the report. He learned, however, that on one occasion in past weeks the Ministry's Director of Asian Affairs had asked a member of the CPR Embassy, apparently in casual conversation, why Chou had not visited Syria during his recent trip to Egypt and Africa. The reply was that Chou would of course be pleased to visit Syria at the next opportunity. However, there has been no indication of any follow up by either the Syrians or the Chinese Communists.

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FROM : Amembassy, KARACHI
SUBJECT : Chou En-lai Visit

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DATE April 13, 1964

Attached hereto are the published texts of Chou En-lai's speeches, speeches made in response by Pakistanis while the Chou party was in Karachi and Rawalpindi, the complete itinerary and a list of all the members of the Chou party. ConGen Lahore's A-219 and ConGen Dacca's A-68 forwarded the public statements made while the Chou party was in those two cities. The speeches and statements made in Karachi and Rawalpindi which were reported earlier have not been included. The text of the official communique was reported in Embtel 1578.

For the Ambassador:

for Richard L. Snider
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Mr. Chou En-lai's state visit to Pakistan
February 18-26, 1964

- February 18 : Arrived at Karachi airport and received by Pakistan Finance Minister Mohammad Shoaib. Laid wreath on Quaid-e-Azam's tomb; attended Citizens' reception. Quiet dinner by Minister Shoaib.
- February 19 : Visited Dawood Cotton Textile Mills; enjoined by Pak FonMin Bhutto who arrived in Karachi from London. Lunch with FonMin Bhutto. Madame Chen Yi visited Adult Blind Centre, the Family Planning Association Clinic, the Crippled Childrens' Treatment Centre and the All Pakistan Women's Association Cottage Industries Centre. Begum Nusrath w/o FonMin Bhutto accompanied Madame Chen Yi. Madame Chen Yi called on Miss Fatima Jinnah sister of Mr. Jinnah the founder of Pakistan. Dinner by Chinese Ambassador.
- February 20 : Left for Rawalpindi accompanied by FonMin Bhutto; received at Chaklala airport by President Mohammad Ayub Khan. Lunch by Pak Commerce Minister Waheeduzzaman.* Had talks with President Ayub. Banquet by President Ayub.
- February 21 : Lunch by Pak Education Minister A.T.M. Mustafa.* Visited Islamabad site for new Pak capital in Rawalpindi. Had talks with President Ayub. Dinner by FonMin Bhutto.
- February 22 : Visited museum at Taxila. Lunch at Nikra rest house. Had talks with President Ayub. Banquet by Chinese Premier. Dinner by FonMin Bhutto in honour of Chinese FonMin Chen Yi. Madame Chen Yi attended a ladies reception.
- February 23 : Left for Lahore accompanied by FonMin Bhutto; seen off at Chaklala airport by President Ayub. Invited Ayub to visit China. Arrived in Lahore; received by Governor West Pakistan. Lunch by Pak-China Friendship Association. Laid wreath at poet Iqbal's tomb; attended citizens' reception. FonMin Bhutto and Chen Yi signed the Ayub-Chou joint communique. Dinner by Governor. Attended cultural show at Alhamara.
- February 24 : Visited Packages Limited. Addressed West Pakistan provincial Assembly. Quiet lunch. Ayub-Chou joint communique released. Left for Dacca accompanied by FonMin Bhutto. Seen off by Governor West Pakistan. Madame Chen Yi visited Fatima Jinnah Medical College for Women and the College of Domestic and Social Sciences for Girls. Chinese FonMin Chen Yi visited the Shalimar Gardens.

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February 24: Arrived in Dacca; received by Governor East Pakistan. Dinner by Governor.

February 25: Left for Chittagong accompanied by FonMin Bhutto; attended citizens' reception.* Lunch by Speaker National Assembly Mr. Fazlul Quader Chowdhary. Arrived back in Dacca; went on a river cruise; attended citizens' reception. Quiet dinner; attended cultural show.

February 26: Departed for Colombo; seen off at Dacca airport by FonMin Bhutto and Governor of East Pakistan

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Finance Minister Welcomes Chinese Premier

Following is the text of the welcome speech made at the Karachi Air Port on February 18, 1964 by the Pakistan Finance Minister, Mr. Mohammed Shoaib :

Mr. Prime Minister, Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen :

It is my privilege to welcome you to Pakistan on behalf of the President, the Government and the people of Pakistan.

Our two countries are neighbours with associations dating back over many centuries of their long and eventful history. Pakistan was among the first countries to recognise the People's Republic of China and the past years have seen further development of friendly and good neighbourly relations between our two countries. We are therefore particularly happy to have you with us in Pakistan.

You, Mr. Prime Minister visited this country about seven years ago. Over this period we have been working diligently and with determination for the development of our resources and the well-being of our people. I hope that during your stay in Pakistan Your Excellencies will notice some of the results we have been able to achieve. It will be our earnest endeavour to make your visit as pleasant as possible and we feel confident that it will help to further strengthen our friendly relations and good neighbourly co-operation.

Chinese Premier's Reply To Finance Minister's Welcome

Your Excellency Respected Minister Mohammed Shoaib, Friends :

Vice-Premier Chen Yi and I feel greatly honoured to have the opportunity of visiting our friendly neighbour at the invitation of His Excellency President Ayub Khan and His Excellency Minister Bhutto. The warm and magnificent welcome you are now giving me and my colleagues fully demonstrates the profound friendship of the Pakistan people for the Chinese people. I express my hearty thanks for this, and I would also like to take this opportunity to convey the greetings and respects of the Chinese Government and people to the Pakistan Government and people.

Seven years ago, I visited your beautiful country, and that visit left with me a deep impression. In recent years the world situation has greatly changed, and new developments have taken place in the friendly relations between our two countries. An agreement on the boundary question has been concluded between our two countries, and the economic and cultural exchanges and friendly contacts between us have increased. These are the results of the joint efforts of our two governments and people.

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Dear friends! I am very happy to have this opportunity of re-visiting your country and meeting President Ayub Khan and other leaders as well as the brotherly Pakistan people. I believe that our present visit will further enhance the mutual understanding and trust between us and make new contributions to the strengthening of Sino-Pakistan friendship and Asian-African solidarity.

Long live the friendship between China and Pakistan!

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Mr. Chou En-lai's Speech At Karachi Citizens' Reception
on February 18, 1964

Your Excellency Respected Minister Mohammed Shoaib, Your Excellency Respected Vice-Chairman Habibullah, Dear friends :

At the kind invitation of His Excellency President Ayub Khan, we have come again to visit your country. First of all we have arrived in Karachi, the biggest city of Pakistan and have been warmly welcomed and hospitably received by the Pakistan Government and people. And now we are most happy to have the opportunity of meeting people of all circles of Karachi here. Allow me, in the name of Vice-Premier Chen Yi and Madame Chen Yi and in my own name, to express our hearty thanks and good wishes to the citizens of Karachi and the entire Pakistan people.

Pakistan is a country with an ancient cultural tradition. The Pakistan people are an industrious and courageous people who ardently love freedom. The Pakistan people have carried out protracted and heroic struggles to win national independence. Today, the Pakistan people are determined to advance along an independent path and to remove the poverty and backwardness left over by colonial rule and build up their own country on their fertile land. We sincerely wish the Pakistan people continuous and new successes.

The Chinese and Pakistan peoples began their friendly contacts since ancient times. Over a thousand years ago, the two celebrated Chinese high priests, Fa Hsien and Hsuan Chuang toured a number of places in your country, leaving behind many, moving stories about their deeds in bringing about cultural exchanges between our two countries and promoting the friendship between our two peoples, and these stories have long been popular among the people of our two countries. Later on, the friendly relations between our two peoples were hindered by the imperialist and colonial aggression. However, after our two countries won independence and liberation respectively, the traditional friendship between our two peoples has been restored and developed, on a new basis. In the past two years, thanks to our joint efforts, the economic and cultural contacts between China and Pakistan have markedly increased and there has been a frequent exchange of visits between the governments and popular representatives of our two countries. What is of particular importance is the conclusion between our two countries of the historic Sino-Pakistan Boundary Agreement as well as the aviation agreement and trade agreement. These agreements not only mark a new development in the friendly relations between China and Pakistan but also constitute an important contribution to the promotion of Asian-African solidarity and the defence of peace in Asia and the world.

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The Chinese and Pakistan peoples have always supported each other in the cause of consolidating national independence, safeguarding state sovereignty, and building up their respect countries. The Pakistan Government and people support the restoration of China's legitimate rights in the United Nations and oppose the scheme of creating "two Chinas". The Chinese Government and people express gratitude for this.

Dear friends! Nine years have elapsed since the Bandung Conference in which both China and Pakistan took part. In these no ordinary years, tremendous changes have taken place in the situation of Asia, Africa and the world, and the cause of the unity of Asian-African people and the world people against imperialism has advanced by leaps and bounds. It is in the interest of the Asian-African peoples to bring into full play the Bandung spirit and strengthen Asian-African solidarity. Now the leaders of a good number of Asian-African countries are of the opinion that the time is ripe for convening a second Asian-African Conference and that active preparations should be made for it. We are convinced that the holding of such a conference will make important contributions to the further promotion of the Asian-African people's unity against imperialism, the strengthening of economic cooperation between Asian-African countries and the defence of world peace.

The Chinese Government has all along pursued a foreign policy of peace and good-neighbourlihood and stood for peaceful coexistence between countries with different social systems on the basis of the Five Principles. The Chinese Government and people have never spared their efforts to develop relations of friendly cooperation with their neighbouring countries, to promote Asian African solidarity and defend world peace. We are glad to see that this policy of ours has obtained the understanding and support of the Pakistan Government and people. In the days to come, the Chinese people will continue to advance hand in hand with the Pakistani people in the common cause of promoting Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace.

Long live the friendship between the Chinese and Pakistan people!

Long live Asian-African solidarity!

Long live world peace!

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President Welcomes Chinese Prime Minister

Following is the text of President Ayub Khan's speech at Chaklala Airport Rawalpindi, welcoming the Chinese Prime Minister on February 20, 1964 :

Mr. Prime Minister,

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you and your distinguished party to the Pakistan Capital.

You, Mr. Prime Minister, Honoured Pakistan with a visit in 1956. I thank you for taking time out to visit us again, despite all the very heavy demands on your time.

I am particularly happy that on this visit His Excellency Marshal Chen Yi, Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister, and Madame Chang Chien have also joined you. I hope you and your colleagues will enjoy this visit to our country and see and feel for yourself the high esteem our people have for the great people of China.

Mr. Prime Minister, we can both derive satisfaction from the way our relations have developed since your last visit to Pakistan. The agreements our two countries have concluded recently demonstrate our mutual desire to be good and friendly neighbours. These ties are merely a reflection of the historic association between our two countries which goes back to the dawn of recorded history. We believe that friendship and cooperation between neighbouring countries on the basis of respect for each other's rights and interests can be a most secure foundation for peace. Exchange of visits between those entrusted with guiding the policies of various countries serve the cause of international understanding and welfare. I am sure your visit will help to strengthen further the goodwill and cooperation that have always marked the relations between Pakistan and China.

Mr. Prime Minister, I welcome you and your distinguished colleagues on behalf of the Government and the people of Pakistan. And I hope that your visit here will be fruitful and happy.

Chinese Premier's Reply To President's Welcome Speech

Your Excellency Respected President Ayub Khan, dear friends,

After visiting Karachi, the biggest city of Pakistan, we have come to the Capital Rawalpindi, bringing with us the sincere friendship of the Chinese people. We have spent two unforgettable days in Karachi. In that city bedecked everywhere with fluttering national flags of China and Pakistan, enthusiastic

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crowds kept greeting us with joyful cheers. This is a vivid manifestation of the profound friendly feelings of the Pakistan people for the Chinese people. Here again we have now been given such a splendid reception and warm welcome. Allow me, in the name of Vice-Premier and Madame Chen Yi and in my own name, to express sincere thanks to His Excellency President Ayub Khan and the Pakistan Government and people.

The Pakistan people are industrious and courageous people who ardently love freedom. The Pakistan people waged long and heroic struggles to free themselves from the colonial rule and win national independence. Now the Pakistan people are determined to continue their advance along an independent path. Compared with what appeared during my first visit to your country seven years ago, great changes have taken place in Pakistan. The Pakistan Government and people have achieved major successes in defending their national interests and persevering in the struggle of independent development. Marked progress has been made in Pakistan's reconstruction in economic and cultural fields. All this has left a deep impression upon us. We heartily wish the Pakistan people new and greater successes in the days to come.

The people of China and Pakistan have always encouraged and supported each other in the cause of safeguarding national independence, developing national economy and building up their respective countries. Our two peoples are close neighbours maintaining friendly contacts since ancient times. Moreover, we have similarly experienced the aggression and oppression of imperialism and colonialism, and now we are both having the similar task of safeguarding national independence and building up our respective countries. Therefore, our two peoples can best understand each other and share the same feelings. In recent years, with our joint efforts, new and important developments have taken place in the relations of friendly cooperation between China and Pakistan. This is a victory of Bandung spirit and of the cause of Asian-African solidarity. The continuous development of the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries is not only in the interests of the people of China and Pakistan but also conducive to the defence of peace in Asia and the world. The Chinese people will forever march forward shoulder to shoulder with the Pakistan people in the struggle to promote Asian-African solidarity and defend world peace.

We are very glad that during our visit we will be able to meet His Excellency President Ayub Khan and hold friendly talks with him. I believe that our present visit will achieve positive results in further enhancing our mutual understanding and further strengthening the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries.

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Long live the friendship between the people of China and Pakistan.

Long live Asian-African Solidarity.

Long live world peace.

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President Ayub's Speech At Banquet In Rawalpindi
On February 20, 1964

Following is the text of President Ayub's speech :-

Mr. Prime Minister, Your Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen :

I am happy to welcome our distinguished guests from the People's Republic of China to the Capital of Pakistan.

The presence of His Excellency the Prime Minister and Marshal Chen Yi is a source of particular pleasure to us. The Prime Minister comes to us as an old friend, having visited Pakistan seven years ago. At that time, the seat of Government was at Karachi. It will now be our pleasure to show him the new Capital at Islamabad which is coming up a few miles from here.

The years that have elapsed since your last visit to our country, Mr. Prime Minister, have been marked by much more than a change of Capital. There have been far-reaching changes in many spheres of our national life, brought about with a view to speeding up the pace of our social and economic development so as to provide a better and richer standard of life for our people.

We hope that you and your distinguished colleagues will be able to see some of the results we have been able to achieve in nation building. You, Mr. Prime Minister, are particularly well placed to assess the progress we have made since your last visit.

Relations between Pakistan and the People's Republic of China have happily been always cordial. History and geography have provided our two countries with links which provide a sound basis for good neighbourly relations in the interests of our two peoples. I would particularly like to recall our historical contacts going back over two thousand years, the records of which have come down to us. The rich Buddhist civilizations that existed in our country attracted scholars and tourists from China whose memories constitute a valuable source of material for the historians of today. Kings of the celebrated Kushan Empire, sent envoys to China in the third century of the Christian era. There are also records of mutually beneficial commercial exchange.

It can thus be said that not only is there no evidence of any wars or disputes between our two countries but that we have inherited rich traditions of goodwill and friendship on which to lay the foundations of our relationship today. Recent developments indicate that we are moving in the direction indicated by our history and by the will of our people. The signing of the Pakistan-China Boundary Agreement last year was a notable milestone in this respect as it demonstrated the mutual desire of our two countries to eliminate potential causes of friction and pave the way for the further development of friendly relations.

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I am happy to note that trade between Pakistan and China is growing and that contacts between our peoples through the exchange of cultural and other delegations have also increased. When direct air services begins between Pakistan and China on the basis of the recently concluded air agreement, our countries will come still closer to each other.

Mr. Prime Minister, the Governments of our two countries are primarily pre-occupied with the task of national reconstruction. In order to achieve our objective in this fundamental task we have a vital stake in international peace. Our two countries helped to evolve the 10 principles of peace at Bandung, which have come to be accepted by a growing number of countries of Asia and Africa as a basis of relations between them. We share the view that understanding and cooperation between the newly emerged countries of Asia and Africa not only serve their interest but also contribute to the cause of world peace. The age of colonialism is dead. Before long, the last vestiges of this obnoxious system as also of its new manifestations will vanish from the face of the earth.

Friendly consultations among the leaders of countries of various regions help to bring about understanding and promote fruitful cooperation. This was demonstrated by the historic Bandung Conference of 1955 in which you, Mr. Prime Minister, played such a distinguished part. The fact that such regional and continental meetings continue to be desired by a growing number of independent nations was further evidenced by the convening, among other such meetings, of the summit conference of African States last year, which brought into being the organization of African unity. We welcome such developments and conferences as they are in accord with the principles of the U.N. Charter and serve the cause of peace. As almost eight years have passed since the Bandung Conference, and many new independent countries have since emerged, particularly in Africa, we favour the convening of a second conference of Asian and African countries.

The United Nations is intended to serve as a prime instrument for safeguarding world peace and promoting international cooperation. It has grown rapidly in membership owing to the emergence in recent years of many new independent countries. We are of the view that this world organization will not be fully representative of mankind unless the People's Republic of China, which represents almost one-fourth of the human race takes its rightful place in it. We hope that before long the People's Republic of China will be admitted to the U.N. to play its part as a major power in its Councils.

As a member of the U.N., Pakistan has consistently adhered to the principles of peaceful settlement of disputes and has tried to maintain friendly relations with all countries, particularly its neighbours. If certain disputes are outstanding with one of our neighbours, that is in spite of our best efforts to

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resolve them in accordance with the principles laid down in the U.N. Charter. We believe that countries should honour their commitments. We also believe that the cause of peace and justice is served only if the principle of self-determination, on the basis of which the peoples of Asia and Africa have fought colonialism, is respected and no people is subjugated by another.

By concluding boundary agreement with several of its neighbours in the spirit of give and take, the People's Republic of China has demonstrated its desire to arrive at a peaceful settlement of international difference through negotiations. We believe that the Sino-Indian Boundary dispute can also be resolved through peaceful negotiations. Massive military preparations have never been the answer to international differences; they only create new tension and bring added economic miseries to needy people.

Mr. Prime Minister, I would like now to propose a toast to your health, to the health of your distinguished companions and to the happiness and prosperity of the great Chinese people, who are making a rapid progress in all spheres of life.

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Chinese Premier's Reply to President's Speech At
Banquet In Rawalpindi

Following is the full text of the speech made by the Chinese Premier, Mr. Chou En-lai, at the banquet given in Rawalpindi on February 20 by the President of Pakistan, Field Marshal Mohammad Ayub Khan, in honour of the visiting Premier:

Your Excellency, Respected President Mohammad Ayub Khan,
Dear Friends,

This evening, His Excellency the President is holding such a splendid banquet for us, giving us an opportunity of meeting the state leaders and friends of various circles of Pakistan. First of all, allow me, in the name of Marshal Chen Yi and of my own, to express hearty thanks to His Excellency the President. I visited your country seven years ago. And now having the opportunity of re-visiting our friendly neighbour, I would like to convey to the Government and people of Pakistan the cordial greetings and best wishes of the Government and people of China.

We are glad to see that Pakistan has scored major achievements on the road of independent development. The Pakistan people have waged unremitting struggles to safeguard their independence and sovereignty. The international status of Pakistan is rising with each passing day. In recent years, Pakistan has made much progress in such fields as light industry, water conservancy works, agricultural production and city construction. These are the results of the efforts made by the Pakistan Government and people. As a friendly neighbour of yours, we rejoice in your success and sincerely wish the Pakistan Government and people new and greater achievements in the cause of developing national economy and safeguarding their national independence and sovereignty.

China and Pakistan have been intimate and close neighbours since ancient times. Our two peoples have always cherished respect for each other and lived together in amity. What is particularly encouraging is that in the past two years, with the daily enhancement of four mutual understanding, important developments have taken place in the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries. Economic and cultural exchanges between China and Pakistan have increased with each passing day and their friendly contacts are becoming ever more frequent. In order to consolidate and develop

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the friendly and good-neighbourly relations between our two countries, we have satisfactorily settled the boundary question left over by history through friendly negotiations. The conclusion of the Sino-Pakistan Boundary Agreement affords a new example of Asian-African countries settling their questions in a spirit of holding consultation on an equal footing; it also constitutes a new contribution by the Governments and people of China and Pakistan to the cause of Asian-African solidarity and world peace.

The mutual support and encouragement between our two countries in our struggles to safeguard our respective national independence and state sovereignty have played an important role in upholding international justice and world peace. In recent years the Pakistan Government and people have explicitly opposed the scheme to create "two Chinas" and supported the restoration of China's legitimate rights in the United Nations. The Chinese Government and people express their hearty thanks for it.

The development of the friendly relations between China and Pakistan is the result of the joint efforts made by our two governments and peoples. In this connection, we would like to express our gratitude particularly to His Excellency, President Ayub Khan, whose concern for and contribution to the development of Sino-Pakistan friendship have won the common praise of our two peoples.

The friendly relations between China and Pakistan are deep-rooted. Both our two peoples had long suffered from colonial aggression and oppression. Today we are confronted with the similar task of safeguarding our independence and sovereignty and developing our independent economics. The common historical experiences and similar fighting tasks have bound our two peoples closely together. Both our two countries are participants of the historic Bandung Conference, uphold its ten principles and oppose colonialism and great-power chauvinism. In our mutual relations, we both adhere to the principles of mutual respect for each other's sovereignty and territorial integrity, mutual non-aggression, non-interference in each other's internal affairs, equality and mutual benefit and settlement of our issues through friendly negotiations. Our friendly relations of mutual respect and equality have stood the test of time. We are convinced that the continuous strengthening of the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries under the guidance of the Bandung spirit is not only in accord with the fundamental interest of our two peoples, but is conducive to Asian-African solidarity and world peace.

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Your Excellency and friends, in recent years the Asian-African peoples have won great victories in their struggle to win and safeguard national independence and to oppose old and new colonialism. The continued development of Bandung spirit and strengthening of Asian-African solidarity are of great significance to the Asian-African peoples. In recent years, Pakistan has made valuable efforts and contributions towards the strengthening of its contacts and friendship with Asian-African countries and the promotion of Asian-African solidarity and thus won the praise of the Asian-African peoples. Together with Indonesia and other Asian-African countries, Pakistan has actively called for the holding of a second Asian-African Conference so as to strengthen Asian-African solidarity and promote the common cause of Asian-African countries. This is in conformity with the common interest and desire of the Asian-African peoples. The Chinese Government and people firmly support this stand and are ready to make our contribution to its early realization.

The present situation is most favourable to the struggle of the Asian-African peoples and all peace-loving peoples against the imperialist policies of aggression and war and for the defense of world peace. We believe that so long as the Asian-African peoples and all peace-loving peoples strengthen their unity and persevere in struggle, their ideals and aspirations will certainly come true. Together with the Pakistan Government and people, the Chinese Government and people, following their consistent stand, will unswervingly work for the strengthening of Sino-Pakistan friendship, the promotion of Asian-African solidarity and the defense of world peace.

In conclusion, I propose a toast, to the perennial friendship between the Chinese and Pakistan peoples, to the prosperity of Pakistan and the well-being of its people, to Asian-African solidarity and world peace, to the health of His Excellency, President Mohammad Ayub Khan, and to the health of all our friends present here.

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Marshall Chen Yi
PM Chou and entourage visiting Pakistan from
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2. Chang Shu-ying, Security Aide
3. Chang Wen-Chin, Director of the First Asian Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
4. Chaung wei, Newsreel Cameraman
5. Chen Yaung-Kung, Chief Security Aide to the Premier of the State Council
6. Chen Yi (Marshal), Vice-Premier and Foreign Minister
7. Chiao Kuan-Hua, Assistant Minister of Foreign Affairs
8. Chi Chao-chu, Interpreter
9. Chien Chia Tung, Section Chief of the First Asian Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
10. Chi Ho-Fu, Security Aide
11. Chien Yung-Nien, Interpreter
12. Chou En-lai, Prime Minister
13. Chu Chi-yu, Deputy Division Director of the Ministry of Public Security
14. Feng Chih-tan, Section Chief of the Information Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
15. Feng Shih-chang, Newsreel Cameraman
16. Haung Chen, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs
17. Huang Tsu-min, Correspondent of the "Hsinhua" news agency
18. Huang Lien-Hua, Functionary of the Ministry of Public Security
19. Hu Pi-cheng, Secretary
20. Hu Ping

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21. Kao Chen-pu, Security Aide
22. Kung Heng-cheng (Major), Aide-de Camp to Chen Yi (Marshal)
23. Kung Peng (Madame), Director of the Information Department,
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
24. Kung Yuan, Deputy Director of the Office in Charge of Foreign Affairs,
State Council
25. Kuo Chia-ting, Interpreter
26. Li Hua, Television Cameraman
27. Li Hung, Secretary
28. Li Kuang-Chieh, Functionary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
29. Li Shu-Fang, Security Aide
30. Li Shu-Hau, Deputy Departmental Director of the Ministry of Public Security
31. Liu Ke Lin, Assistant Director of the Information Department, Ministry of
Foreign Affairs
32. Ma Lieh, Secretary to the Premier of the State Council
33. Ma Yin Chang (Mrs.), Interpreter
34. Pien Chih-Chiang, Doctor
35. Pu Shou-Chang, Secretary to the Premier of the State Council
36. Shan Ta-chi, Secretary
37. Shen Jo-yun (Miss), Interpreter
38. Shih Kuo-Pao, Secretary
39. Shih Shan-pie, Functionary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs
40. Tang Lung-pin, Official of the Protocol Department Ministry of Foreign Affairs
41. Tang Yu-Chin (Miss), Nurse
42. Tsao Yuan-hsin, Official of the Protocol Department, Ministry of Foreign
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- 43. Tsou Chin, Doctor
- 44. Tu Hsiu-hsien, Photographer
- 45. Tung Hsiao-Peng, Chief of the Secretariat of the Premier of the State Council
- 46. Wang Hsing-Ming (Mrs.), Nurse
- 47. Wang Kuang, Section Chief of the Research Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs
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BHUTTO SAID THAT THE GOP THOUGHT IT HAD HANDLED THE CHOU EN LAI VISIT IN A DIGNIFIED, CORRECT, AND RESTRAINED MANNER. ADMITTEDLY THERE WAS A CONSIDERABLE DISPLAY OF ENTHUSIASM FOR CHOU IN SOME OF THE CITIES VISITED, BUT THE GOVERNMENT HAD NO MEANS OF CONTROLLING THIS AND IT WAS STRICTLY A NON-IDEOLOGICAL EXPRESSION OF SATISFACTION TO THE PEOPLE WHO HAD SET BACK THE INDIANS.

BHUTTO AGAIN CONFIRMED THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAD RESISTED CHICOM FEELERS FOR AGREEMENTS AND EXCHANGES IN CULTURAL FIELD, SOLELY OUT OF REGARD FOR US SENSITIVITY ABOUT THE EFFECT OF ANY TYPE OF AGREEMENT WITH THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

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HE THEN REFERRED TO HARRIMAN-G. AHMED CONVERSATION OF MARCH 16 AND SAID GOP WAS PARTICULARLY HURT THAT AMBASSADOR G. AHMED HAD RECEIVED SUCH A "DRESSING DOWN" INSTEAD OF SOME RECOGNITION OF EFFORTS HE HAD JUST DESCRIBED. HE SAID AMBASSADOR G. AHMED HAD REPORTED THAT GOVERNOR HARRIMAN A FEW DAYS EARLIER HAD REMARKED TO HIM AT A LUNCHEON THAT WHILE USG WAS NOT HAPPY ABOUT THE VISIT, IT RECOGNIZED THAT GOP HAD MAINTAINED RATHER GOOD CONTROL AND APPARENTLY HAD NOT MADE ANY DAMAGING CONCESSIONS. BHUTTO SAID AMBASSADOR AHMED WAS AT A LOSS TO EXPLAIN ABRUPT CHANGE IN HARRIMAN'S ATTITUDE.

I TOLD BHUTTO THAT MY GOVERNMENT WAS OF VIEW THAT PAK POLICY AS TO CHINA, WHILE NOT DIAMETRICALLY OPPOSED TO US POLICY, DID CUT ACROSS THE LINE OF OUR POLICY. WE WERE BOUND TO FEEL CONCERN WHEN THE POLICY OF AN ALLY WORKED TO ANY DEGREE AGAINST OUR OWN POLICY. WE ADHERED TO THE VIEW THAT SOME DIVERGENCE OF POLICY DID EXIST AS TO CHINA AS WELL AS TO INDIA. THE CHOU EN-LAI VISIT OBVIOUSLY GAVE SOME SATISFACTION TO THE CHINESE COMMUNISTS AND SERVED CHINESE PURPOSES TO A LIMITED EXTENT. I SAID I HAD NO INDICATION THAT THE MARCH 16 CONVERSATION WAS APPRECIABLY DIFFERENT AS TO SUBSTANCE FROM OTHER OFFICIAL CONVERSATIONS ON THE SAME SUBJECT AFTER THE CHOU EN-LAI VISIT. I ASKED BHUTTO IF HE AWARE OF THE STIFF ORAL COMMUNICATION AZIZ AHMED DELIVERED TO ME ON MARCH 31. HE SAID HE HAD NOT ACTUALLY SEEN THE TEXT OF IT, BUT HE KNEW AZIZ AHMED HAD HURRIEDLY PUSHED THROUGH PRESIDENTIAL APPROVAL OF A STRONG ORAL REPRESENTATION TO ME, JUST BEFORE HE (BHUTTO) RETURNED FROM NEW YORK. I TOLD HIM WE DID NOT LIKE THE TONE OF THE AZIZ AHMED COMMUNICATION WHICH WAS NEEDLESSLY HARSH AND OFFENSIVE. BHUTTO SAID HE KNEW AZIZ AHMED WAS INCLINED TO REACT IN THAT MANNER. HE SAID ONE TOUGH EXCHANGE USUALLY LEADS TO OTHERS AND HE WOULD BE GLAD IF ALL EXCHANGES COULD BE KEPT IN A MODERATE KEY.

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FROM : Amembassy COLOMBO

SUBJECT : Chou En-lai Visit

REF : Embtel 507

DATE: APRIL 7, 1964

There is enclosed a memorandum of conversation with Mr. Arthur BASNAYAKE, Counselor of the Ceylon Ministry of External Affairs, in which he outlined what he said were the highlights of the visit of CHOU En-lai to Ceylon in February 1964. While this report contains nothing substantially new, it is interesting because it reflects the Ceylonese desire to view Chou's visit as motivated by other than political considerations, although much of the Chou-Bandaranaika talks apparently had a strong political flavor.

While Mr. Basnayake appeared to view Communist China and its intentions with a fair degree of realism, the Embassy's experience indicates that it would be unwise to assume that his views are shared by senior officials of the Government of Ceylon, several of whom are prone to blindness in evaluating the communist world. That Chou most probably sought to play on this ingenuousness is suggested by his apparent pose as a champion of peace and his using underground nuclear tests in the United States as a gauge of American hypocrisy in signing the Limited Nuclear Test Ban Treaty.

The conversation recorded in the beginning of the last paragraph of the memorandum related to a report received from the Indian High Commission that CHANG Wen-chin, Director of the First Asian Department of the Chinese

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Ministry of Foreign Affairs, who had accompanied Chou on his visit to Ceylon, had returned to Peiping only on March 23. According to information available to the Embassy, Chang left Ceylon on March 6, six days after Chou's departure.

For the Ambassador:

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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

SUBJECT: Visit of Chou En-lai to Ceylon

DATE: April 3, 1964

PLACE: Ministry of External Affairs

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Arthur Basnayake, Counselor, Ceylon Ministry of External Affairs
Mr. David L. Gamon, First Secretary, American Embassy

I called on Mr. BASNAYAKE in response to his offer to tell me about CHOU En-lai's visit to Ceylon, February 26-29, 1964. The call had been postponed several times because of changes in Mr. Basnayake's schedule.

After referring to a page of notes, Basnayake said that Chou's visit had been very beneficial to Ceylon from an economic point of view. About Rs. 70 million remained unused from the Rs. 120 million^{1/} in Chinese grants. Chou not only agreed to make this balance available for new uses but assured the Ceylonese that the Chinese would be amenable to granting additional credits to Ceylon in excess of Rs. 120 million if required for mutually agreeable projects. Prominent among the new uses for the Rs. 120 million were an offer to give Ceylon Rs. 20 million in textiles as well as about Rs. 17 million to help build the Bandaranaike Memorial Convention Hall.

Basnayake said that it would be hard to point to any political gains made during the visit, which was not a "political" visit but one of good will. He said that throughout the visit the Chinese were very anti-American and had raised the subject of American imperialism and warmongering on several occasions. Chinese anti-American sentiment seemed to be inspired mostly by the American presence in Taiwan and the American backing of CHIANG Kai-shek. The Chinese did say that they believed that the United States would not unleash nuclear warfare and that the United States realized fully that it could never conduct a successful war against the Chinese mainland. However, the Chinese said that they expected the United States to continue its policy of encirclement and to continue to attempt to set up "bastions" around China. The Chinese said that they had concluded that nuclear war and world wars were now impossible because of their threat to the future of mankind, but that small-scale limited wars were both feasible and likely. Basnayake said that the Ceylonese interpreted this to mean that the Chinese would not hesitate to use small-scale warfare as an instrument of their policy.

The Chinese had explained to the Ceylonese that their opposition to the Limited Nuclear Test Ban Treaty was based on their opinion that a treaty of such a scope should not be "dictated to the world" by "two or three powers." They

^{1/} Actually, the Communist Chinese extended Rs. 125 million in grants to Ceylon since 1957, in addition to the flood relief assistance.

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believed that the treaty should first have been discussed among all the countries of the world. Moreover, the principal signatories were not sincere, the Chinese said, because the United States had detonated some twenty to twenty-five underground nuclear explosions since signing the pact. In Basnayake's opinion the Chinese attitude toward the treaty was based on the fact that they were developing their own nuclear weapon, and that they wanted to be free to do this unhindered by any limitation.

Basnayake said that aside from a few inferences as in connection with the Test Ban Treaty, the Chinese, out of deference to their hosts, had scrupulously refrained from criticizing the Russians. (Basnayake was apparently quite oblivious to the implications implicit in such a remark which are at variance with Ceylon's claim to non-alignment.)

Basnayake said that the Chinese stressed to the Ceylonese that their basic purpose in the world was to further the cause of peace. Basnayake expressed the opinion that the Chinese posed as the champions of peace in Asia and particularly in Africa in order to establish an identity of interest with newly emerging states in both continents. He said that the Chinese had told the Ceylonese that this identity of interests which they had with most of Africa and with many Asians gave rise to the canard that the Chinese were racists, attempting to line up the "dark races" against the "whites".

In answer to specific questions of mine, Basnayake said that the Chinese were tough negotiators but that there had been no disagreement on substantive matters between the Ceylonese and the Chinese. He emphatically denied press reports that the signing of the joint communique had been delayed because of differences in opinion. Certain words and phrases had caused minor problems but these were satisfactorily worked out. The difficulties in translating between Chinese and Sinhala had occasioned most of the delay in preparing the communique. The Chinese had not posed any serious objection to the inclusion in the joint communique of reference to the Second Non-Aligned Conference. The Ceylonese were more partial to this conference and the Chinese stood behind the Second Afro-Asian Conference, Basnayake said, and each respected the opinion of the other.

Basnayake claimed to have no knowledge of reports that some members of the Chou entourage remained in Ceylon for several days after Chou's departure. He said that all members of the group had departed with Chou and Madame SOONG. Moreover, aside from Chou's visit to the Bandaranaike mausoleum and Madame Soong's visit to Sri Palee at Horana, the Chinese visitors had all remained in Colombo. With regard to reports that had appeared in the press and to which reference was made on the floor of Parliament that Chinese had been inspecting port facilities in Ceylon, Basnayake said that early in February four Chinese officials had visited Trincomalee and Galle to study the problems of unloading Chinese cement in Trincomalee and to survey both ports for possible use as points of transshipment for Chinese commerce.

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A four-member women's delegation from Communist China arrived in Accra during the weekend of March 28-29 to begin a ten-day visit at the invitation of the National Council of Ghana Women. According to the Ghanaian press, the delegation was led by Mrs. TSAO Meng-Chun, and also included Mrs. CHIEN Hsing, Mrs. SHEN Yuan-Hui and Miss CHIANG Ching-Wei, an interpreter.

On April 1 the group called on CPP Executive Secretary Nathaniel WELBECK at Party Headquarters in Accra. Welbeck was quoted by the press as expressing the hope that "a Ghanaian delegation would soon visit China to help forge Sino-Ghana solidarity and friendship."

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A small group of Ghanaian women made an unpublicized visit to Communist China in January 1964. One of them, Mrs. Hannah CUDJOE, National Organizer of Day Nurseries, reportedly came back extremely disillusioned over conditions she observed in China. To judge from Welbeck's remarks regarding a future visit, the Chinese delegation now touring Ghana is not returning the Ghanaian visit in January.

For the Ambassador:

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FROM : AmConsul, LYON, France

DATE: April 1, 1964

SUBJECT: RED CHINESE TRADE OFFICIAL RECEIVES RED CARPET TREATMENT
AT LYON FAIR

REF : --

The Vice-President of the Red Chinese Council for the Development of International Commerce, HOU-TON, received a warm welcome from all segments of Lyon industry during his visit of March 20-27. Half of Hou-Ton's visit coincided with the closing days of the 46th Lyon International Trade Fair. He came to Lyon as the representative of NA HAN-TEN, President of the Chinese Council, in response to an invitation extended by M. Robert PERRIER, President of the Lyon Fair.

Although several Ambassadors of Western European countries attended the Fair and opened national exhibits with appropriate fanfare, by far the greatest amount of attention and publicity was given to the visit of Hou-Ton in the hope that Communist China would be represented at the 1965 Fair and that fruitful commercial contacts could be developed in the meantime.

A luncheon given by M. Perrier in honor of Hou-Ton was attended by all top Fair officials, plus M. MOREL-JOURNEL, President of the International Silk Association. M. JULES-JULIEN, President of the National Committee of Councillors of External Commerce and numerous representatives of commerce and industry.

In his introductory remarks, M. Perrier evoked memories of Communist China's participation in the 1955 Lyon

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Fair and added that echos of the visit of Edgar FAURE to China had greatly increased the French desire to renew contacts with that country.


Hou-Ton responded in a like vein, but was careful to state that while he could not guarantee Chinese participation in the 1965 Fair at this time, the proposition would certainly receive serious consideration. He concluded by stating that he realized there were certain hindrances at this time to the development of full and unhampered relations between the two countries, but he was confident that these would be eventually overcome.

Following the closing of the Fair on March 23, Hou-Ton visited a number of Lyon firms including Berliet Motors and Ets. Richard-Continental, suppliers of trucks and tractors to Cuba, dams and power installations on the Rhone River, Chambers of Commerce, several research centers, and manufacturers concerned with animal husbandry and agricultural pharmaceuticals. With the difficulties presently being experienced in the French agricultural sector, the Chinese market is a particularly attractive one for producers of agricultural chemicals and animal pharmaceuticals according to one manufacturer.

COMMENT: The prevailing attitude towards Hou-Ton's visit was well expressed by the writer for the Lyon daily "Le Progrès" who said:

"Even if China is not represented at the 47th Lyon Fair (1965), the visit to Lyon of Hou-Ton ... will have permitted him to make contact with the directors of the largest enterprises of the Lyon region.

The good seed is sown, the harvest will come."
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FROM : Amconsul LAHORE

DATE: March 19, 1964

SUBJECT: The 1964 Chou En-lai Visit to Pakistan:
The Lahore Phase

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SUMMARY

The visit of Chou En-lai to Lahore was anti-climactic in many respects. The public reception did not measure up to the vociferous press buildup since the Government was inclined toward a more restrained approach. Without focus on contact with the masses, there was no substantial reason for the Lahore stopover since the talks with President Ayub had already taken place and the communique was issued in Lahore a few hours after Chou's arrival here. As far as can be determined, the so-called "man on the street" was impressed by the Chinese Communist support for Pakistan's stand on the Kashmir issue and by the ChiCom's aggressive posture vis-a-vis India, but this was not manifested in any effusive demonstrations in behalf of Communist China or Chou during this visit. Some local observers contend that although the 1964 visit received a warmer official response than the 1956 visit to Lahore, there was no marked difference in the protocol or ceremonial phases of the current visit as compared with the earlier one.

Preparations for the "historic welcome"

The impending visit of Chou En-lai was greeted effusively by the Lahore Press, although the buildup did not really get under way until the eve of Chou's arrival in Karachi. The Pakistan Times on February 18 opined that Chou was "assured of a warm welcome" since Sino-Pakistan relations had "steadily improved" since his previous visit in 1956 and "old misgivings have

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been removed." The Urdu daily Mashriq hoped that the visit would "lead to peace and security in Asia". Meanwhile, the press printed a statement by Raja Hasan Akhtar the President of the West Pakistan Muslim League who enjoined "every Pakistani to join in the historic welcome and to accord a fitting reception to the great Asian leader at every place visited by him." The people were exhorted from every corner to give Chou a warm welcome even including a call from the Religious Purposes Committee which suggested that shops and buildings be decorated and arches be erected. The usual full page spread on Chou En-lai and Sino-Pak relations appeared in the Pakistan Times on February 20 and was followed up by supplements in the Urdu press on February 23. The Pakistan Times supplement featured a glowing article on "Chou En-lai: The Ageless Prime Minister" by Dr. Javid Iqbal, the son of the famed poet and a member of the Pakistan delegation which visited Communist China in October, 1963, as well as photos of Chou's 1956 visit to Lahore.

On February 22, the program for Chou's Lahore visit was finally announced in the press, although there were no details given as to the timing of each phase. The program had been the subject of considerable shuffling and reshuffling by the Provincial Government amid caution expressed by police officials that elaborate security measures would have to be taken. According to police sources, a cultural show was scheduled for the late evening of February 23 at the Pakistan Arts Council building, but when the police objected to this site, the show was suddenly shifted to the Police Club instead. Chou reportedly objected to a visit to the Swedish-Pak Commercial venture Packages Ltd. on February 24 and this was canceled only a few days prior to Chou's arrival. Suddenly, on February 21 the West Pakistan Provincial Assembly invited Chou to address its session on the morning of the 24th. The majority Party leader in the Assembly had suggested that the Assembly adjourn on that date, but the Opposition leader saved the Government the embarrassment of making the gesture by proposing the unprecedented invitation for Chou to address the body. The majority quickly assented to the suggestion which filled an embarrassing gap in the schedule and gave Chou an opportunity to speak; albeit before a carefully restricted audience.

A day in Lahore.

It rained during the early morning hours of February 23 and the paper Pakistani and ChiCom flags which were strung along Lahore's Mall were neither festive nor attractive. There were no ceremonial arches as the newspapers claimed, but rather several large banners in English and Chinese offering a hearty welcome and proclaiming the virtues of peace. The banners appeared to have been surplus from some previous Communist Party conclave in Peiping, and the atrocious English spelling on some of them reinforced this impression.

Although the press announced to the public that Chou En-lai and party would arrive at 10 a.m., Chou appeared on schedule at 11 a.m. and

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was greeted by a crowd of about 1500 people led by the West Pakistan Governor and his Cabinet. The schedule called for the ChiCom leader and party to arrive at Government House at 11:25 a.m. and the party adhered to this plan even though the distance between the airport and Government House cannot be covered in less than 12 minutes traveling at a fair rate of speed. The welcoming ceremonies were therefore quite perfunctory and the chief guest moved through the Lahore Cantonment and down the Mall in a closed automobile traveling at moderate speed. Local military authorities saw to it that off-duty military personnel and their families lined parts of the route, but otherwise attendance was sparse except at intersections where traffic had been held up for some time and curious spectators stood around. Kashmiri demonstrators with their signs appeared at the airport and in the park opposite Government House where their presence could not be ignored.

Chou and his party were feted at a luncheon at the exclusive Lahore Gymkhana Club which is opposite Government House. The luncheon was given by the Pak-Chinese Friendship Association, a rather innocuous group of starry-eyed Lahore "tea party liberals" whose activities are carefully controlled by the West Pakistan Government. The current president of the Association is the 68 year old MPA Begum Jahan Ara Shah Nawaz who visited Communist China in 1954 and characterizes Chou En-lai and Wendell Wilkie as "the two greatest world figures of this century." With considerable bonhomie and liberal servings of alcoholic beverages, this gathering was perhaps the only disquieting feature of the Chou visit to Lahore. According to British Deputy High Commissioner Rae Britten who attended the luncheon, Begum Shah Nawaz and her family dominated the affair, but most prominent of this group was Begum Akbar the daughter of Begum Shah Nawaz and divorced wife of General Akbar Khan of Rawalpindi Conspiracy fame. Begum Akbar paraded a number of local leftist leaders to the dais for brief chats with Chou En-lai much to the chagrin of high Government officials in attendance. These same leftist elements led lusty cheers for Foreign Minister Chen Yi's speech wherein he urged a strengthening of Sino-Pak "solidarity" and a "struggle against imperialism."

The weather improved during the afternoon of February 23, and crowds estimated at about 50,000 people lined the streets in downtown Lahore as the Chou En-lai party proceeded toward the Lahore Fort for a Citizen's Reception which is normally accorded important foreign guests to the city. There was no visible enthusiasm displayed by the masses, but rather a friendly curiosity sparked by the motorcade and the flags strung along the parade route on a pleasant Sunday afternoon when the local citizenry traditionally spills out on the streets. The carefully selected 1500 guests at the Citizen's Reception included some 400 Basic Democrats who had been brought into the city from outlying areas to grace the occasion. Chen Yi once again spoke on behalf of the visitors and reiterated the theme that "Asia belongs to the Asians" and that Pakistan-Chinese friendship withstood "the aggression and oppression of imperialism and colonialism."

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Platitudes notwithstanding, there was no mention of Kashmir in his remarks at the Fort nor at the luncheon, nor was there a direct attack on the United States or India.

The Governor of West Pakistan's dinner for Chou En-lai on Sunday evening was a normal protocol affair which was correct and friendly, but not enthusiastic. The joint communique covering the Ayub-Chou talks in Rawalpindi was released to the press shortly before the dinner and Governor Amir Mohammad Khan read the communique to the assembled guests. The first day of the visit ended with the Cultural Show given at the Police Club, which was a highly professional presentation according to all reports.

Chou En-lai ended the public phase of his visit in Lahore with a speech at the West Pakistan Provincial Assembly at 10:00 a.m. on February 24. The galleries were filled, but the members of the Assembly, who often fail to meet quorum calls, could only muster about 90 out of their total membership of 155 for the occasion. Chou, speaking in halting Chinese, hailed the "developing friendship" between Pakistan and China and averred that Pakistan could build up its national economy by persevering in "its independent policy." There was considerable applause when Chou mentioned the reference to Kashmir in the joint communique although he did not proceed beyond the wording therein to the effect that the dispute "should be resolved in accordance with the wishes of the people of Kashmir" as pledged to them by India and Pakistan." When Chou left for the airport enroute to Dacca a few hours after his appearance at the Assembly there were only a few thousand school children on the streets waving the inevitable paper flags. Despite the press buildup, most of the people had already forgotten the visit and workmen quickly followed up the departing visitors to remove the banners and rain-soaked paper flags.

COMMENT: The Pakistan Times and the vernacular press in Lahore chose to give considerable significance to the Chou En-lai visit. In an editorial on February 25, the Pakistan Times claimed that Sino-Pakistan friendship had been "reinforced", that the parleys with President Ayub were "momentous" and that this friendship coupled with "Afro-Asian solidarity" would "put up a common front against colonialism and Big-Power chauvinism." The significance of the visit was not apparent to the average citizen of Lahore, however, who was impressed by the Chinese Communist support for Pakistan's case on Kashmir, but was puzzled by Chou's smile and bland pronouncements. In the conservative Punjab, the public is still basically anti-Communist in orientation and suspicious of any dealings with the Communists which would not reap immediate material benefits. With considerable American investment in the area, many of these people were looking over their shoulder at the United States and American reaction to dealings with the Chinese Communists.


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As they had done during Chou's 1956 visit to Lahore, the Provincial Government adhered to a set program of formal entertainment and restricted public gatherings and did nothing to swell the crowds on the streets beyond the calls for school children and off-duty servicemen. Begum Shah Nawaz complained that several groups had asked for transportation into Lahore for people in outlying areas to see Chou En-lai but the Government had refused to cooperate. In fact, the Government seemed concerned only for Chou's safety and the necessity for avoiding any untoward incident which would depart from a carefully prepared scenario.


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Address of Chinese Communist Vice-Premier Chen Yi at the civic reception held at the Lahore Fort on February 23, 1964 (as reported in the Pakistan Times, February 24, 1964):

It is with joyful feelings that we have come to visit our friendly neighbour, Pakistan. Throughout these days everywhere we have been hospitably received and warmly welcomed by the Pakistan Government and people, and everywhere we have been impressed by the Pakistan people's sincere friendship for the Chinese people. Today, the citizens of Lahore are giving us another grand and rousing welcome. Here, in the name of Premier Chou En-lai and of my own, I would like to express once again our hearty thanks to our hospitable hosts. At this cordial and friendly gathering, I would also like to convey the fraternal greetings of the Chinese people to the citizens of Lahore and the entire Pakistan people.

For thousands of years, the people of China and Pakistan have been good neighbours and good friends. The aggression and oppression of imperialism and colonialism failed to disrupt our traditional friendship. We are glad to see that in the past two years significant developments have taken place in the relations of friendly cooperation between our two countries on the basis of the Ten Principles of the Bandung Conference. The conclusion of the Sino-Pakistan boundary agreement, the air transport agreement and the trade agreement marked a new phase in the relations of friendship and cooperation between our two countries.

The Chinese Government and people are ready to work, together with the Pakistan Government and people, for the continuous strengthening of the friendly and good-neighbourly relations between China and Pakistan. The Chinese people remain forever the reliable friends of the Pakistan people in the cause of safeguarding national independence, building up our respective countries and defending world peace.

The Pakistan Government and people under the leadership of President Ayub Khan have made unremitting efforts to safeguard their national independence and State sovereignty. During our present visit, we have seen with our own eyes that the Pakistan people have achieved marked successes in unfolding reconstruction in economic and cultural fields. The Pakistan people persevere in the path of independent development, and are determined to remove the poverty and backwardness left over by colonial rule. This is the unshakable will of the Pakistan people. We heartily wish the Pakistan people continuous new victories on their road of advance. We are convinced that an independent, prosperous and strong Pakistan will make more and more contributions to the cause of promoting Asian-African solidarity and defending world peace.

Dear friends, Asia belongs to the Asians. The people of Asia have already awakened, stood up and united through their long valiant struggles. No force on earth can prevent the wheel of history in Asia from advancing at full

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Long live the friendship between the people of China and Pakistan.

Long live Asian-African solidarity.

Long live world peace.

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the Reception Given by the Pakistan-China Friendship Society
on February 23, 1964 (as reported in the Pakistan Times of
February 24, 1964.)

We are grateful to the Pakistan China Friendship Society of Lahore for giving this reception and affording Premier Chou En-lai and me the opportunity of a joyful and amicable gathering with our old and new friends.

I remember that ten years back, Begum Shah Nawaz led a Pakistan women's delegation to visit China. And there are also quite a few friends present here who have been to China on good-will visits.

Now, we have again come here as your guests. The frequent exchange of visits by the emissaries of friendship of our two countries have played an important role in constantly enhancing our mutual understanding and promoting our friendship.

The Chinese and Pakistan peoples have a common historical experience and are now confronted with a similar fighting task.

We want to decide things according to our own independent will, but imperialism is against it; we want to develop our national economy, but imperialism attempts to obstruct us; we want to strengthen the friendship and solidarity among all peoples, but imperialism tries to sabotage them; we fervently love peace, whereas imperialism is pressing ahead its policies of aggression and war.

Therefore, in order to grasp our destiny firmly in our own hands, it is necessary for us to strengthen our solidarity, support each other and wage unremitting struggles against imperialism and old and new colonialism. In this struggle the Chinese people will forever be the reliable friends of the Pakistan people. The friendship between China and Pakistan is not guided by expediency but is an everlasting one.

We are glad to note that in recent years, through our joint efforts, a new development has taken place in the relations of friendly co-operation between our two countries. I would like to mention here that for many years our friends of the Pakistan-China Friendship Society of Lahore have worked with zeal for the promotion of Sino-Pakistan friendship and have achieved very good results. On behalf of the Chinese people, I would like to take this opportunity to extend to you our sincere thanks. Our Pakistan friends can rest assured that the Chinese people will, as always, work for the constant strengthening of the friendship and solidarity between the people of China and Pakistan.

May the friendship between the Chinese and Pakistan peoples flourish forever!

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Address of Chinese Communist Premier Chou En-lai at the
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(as reported in the Pakistan Times of February 25, 1964)

Your Excellency respected Mr. Speaker, honourable Members of the
Assembly, dear friends.

I am greatly honoured to have the opportunity to addressing the West
Pakistan Assembly. I would like to convey from this lofty forum the cordial
greetings of the Chinese people to the people of West Pakistan and the whole
of Pakistan.

The Pakistan people are an industrious and courageous people who ardently
love freedom. They had waged a long and heroic struggle to win their national
independence. We are glad to see that in recent years the Pakistan people
have carried an unremitting struggle and won many victories in defending their
national independence and State sovereignty and in opposing foreign pressure
and threats. The Pakistan Government and people have made positive contri-
butions to the strengthening of Asian-African solidarity. Pakistan is making
more and more friends, and its international status is rising with each passing
day.

We are also glad to see that Pakistan has achieved marked successes in its
economic and cultural undertakings. Its light industry, water conservancy
projects and city construction have developed and it has also scored achievements
in the fields of culture and education. President Ayub has stated on several
occasions that in order to attain self-reliance and self-sufficiency in economy,
it is necessary to learn to rely increasingly on one's own resources. This
expresses the earnest desire of the Pakistan people to build up their mother-
land in accordance with their own independent will.

Pakistan has a population of 100 million and has rich natural resources.
We believe that through perseverance in its independent policy and strength-
ening of its friendly co-operation with Asian-African countries, Pakistan can
surely build up its own national economy. Nobody can prevent such a country
from advancing along an independent path. An independent, prosperous and
strong Pakistan will surely make greater contributions to the cause of world
peace.

There exists a profound traditional friendship between the people of
China and Pakistan. Our forefathers began friendly contacts as far back as
2,000 years ago. Trade and economic contacts and exchanges in art and culture
between us make up many fine chapters in the history of our two countries.
The well-known 'silk road' had its passage through the northern part of
Pakistan. In modern times owing to the aggression and oppression of imperi-
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But after our two countries successively won victory, we have restored and

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further developed our longstanding traditional friendship on a new basis.

I would like to mention in particular the important contributions made by His Excellency President Ayub Khan and the Government led by him to the development of Sino-Pakistan friendship.

In the past two years our two countries have worked in fruitful co-operation with each other in political, economic and cultural fields.

The Sino-Pakistan boundary agreement, concluded last March, is a major achievement in the relations of friendly co-operation between our two countries. This agreement is not only beneficial to the maintenance of tranquility along the Sino-Pakistan border and to the consolidation of the friendly and good-neighbourly relations between China and Pakistan, but is also of great significance to the defence of peace in Asia and the world.

The Sino-Pakistan air transport agreement and the Sino-Pakistan trade agreement, concluded later, have further strengthened the friendly links and economic co-operation between the two countries. All this is the result of the joint efforts made by the Governments and people of our two countries.

In recent years, the Pakistan Government has opposed the imperialist plot to create "two Chinas" and has stood for the restoration of China's legitimate rights in the United Nations. The Pakistan Government and public opinion have righteously refuted the slanders made by the forces hostile to China and pointed out that China is a peace-loving country. This constitutes a valuable support to China, for which the Chinese Government and people would like to express their sincere gratitude. The Chinese Government and people in their turn firmly support the Pakistan Government and people in their just struggle to defend their national independence and State sovereignty.

Dear friends, the development of the friendly relations between China and Pakistan is a victory of the Bandung spirit. As is known to all, Pakistan was one of the sponsors of the historic Bandung Conference; representatives from both China and Pakistan attended the Conference and contributed to its success. Marking the awakening of the Asian and African peoples, that Conference gave a strong impetus to the strengthening of Asian-African solidarity and the promotion of the Asian-African peoples struggles to win and safeguard national independence, and exerted a far-reaching influence on the international situation.

Since the Bandung Conference, the face of the world has undergone a tremendous change. Dozens of Asian-African countries have successively embarked on the road of independent development through their own struggles. The struggles to win and safeguard national independence are spreading like a prairie fire in Asia and Africa. The just struggles of the people of these continents have become a mighty force in defence of world peace.

In Asia, the struggle of the peoples for safeguarding national independence and opposing foreign intervention and control have won continuous victories. The imperialist policies of aggression and war have met with ceaseless setbacks. The new-emerging Asian countries are determined to take the road of

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independence and develop their own national economies. This represents the firm will of the people. This is an irresistible current of history. The imperialists, of course, will not reconcile themselves to their defeat in Asia. They are intensifying their activities of aggression, intervention, subversion and infiltration against the new-emerging Asian countries. Innumerable facts show that the struggle against imperialism and old and new colonialism remains the common fighting task of the people of Asia.

In order to carry on the common struggles, it is necessary for Asian-African countries to further strengthen their solidarity and co-operation. The proposal for the convocation of the second Asian-African conference has won a warm response from the governments and public opinion of many Asian-African countries. We believe that such a conference will surely make important contributions to the strengthening of Asian-African solidarity, the promotion of economic co-operation among Asian-African countries and the defence of world peace.

We Asian-African countries share a common historical experience and have before us a common fighting task. It is entirely possible to settle the disputes left over by history among Asian-African countries fairly and reasonably in accordance with the five principles of peaceful co-existence and the 10 principles of the Bandung Conference and in a spirit of equality and friendly consultation.

In the settlement of these disputes, it is not permissible to act truculently and impose one's will on others, still less is it permissible to bully others by relying on outside forces.

The China-Pakistan joint communique pointed out that "the border dispute between India and China should and can be resolved peacefully through negotiations." The joint communique also expressed the hope that "the Kashmir dispute would be resolved in accordance with the wishes of the people of Kashmir as pledged to them by India and Pakistan."

The peoples of Asia and Africa desire solidarity. We believe that the disputes among Asian-African countries will sooner or later be reasonably settled through peaceful consultation.

The new-emerging Asian-African countries who have stood up are playing an increasingly important positive role in international affairs. The imperialist or big-nation chauvinist attitude of ignoring the independent will of the new-emerging Asian-African countries, of trying to negate their positions and of the browbeating the small and the strong bullying the weak runs entirely counter to the trend of history and is doomed to failure and utter bankruptcy.

Dear friends, the people of China and Pakistan have always sympathised with and supported each other in the struggle to safeguard national independence and oppose foreign intervention and in the building up of their respective countries. The continuous development of the relations of friendly co-operation between China and Pakistan is in the common interests of our two peoples and beneficial to Asian-African solidarity and world peace.

During our present visit in Pakistan we held cordial and frank talks with

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Long live the friendship between the Chinese and Pakistan peoples!

Long live Asian-African solidarity!

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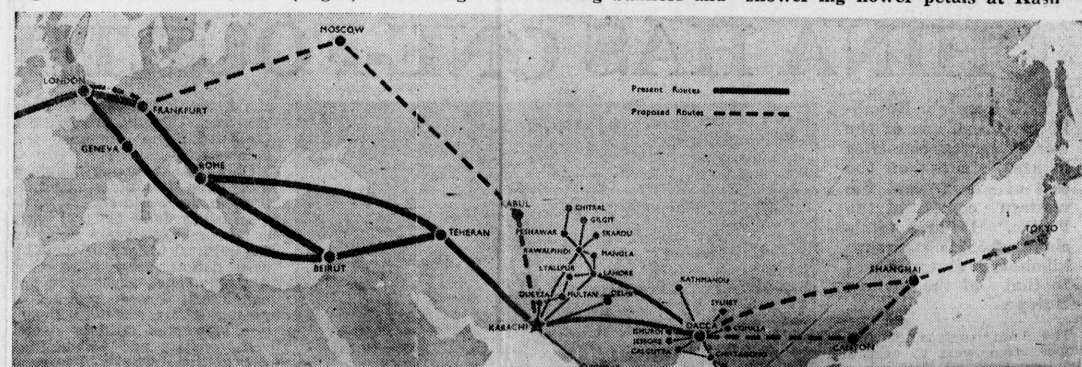
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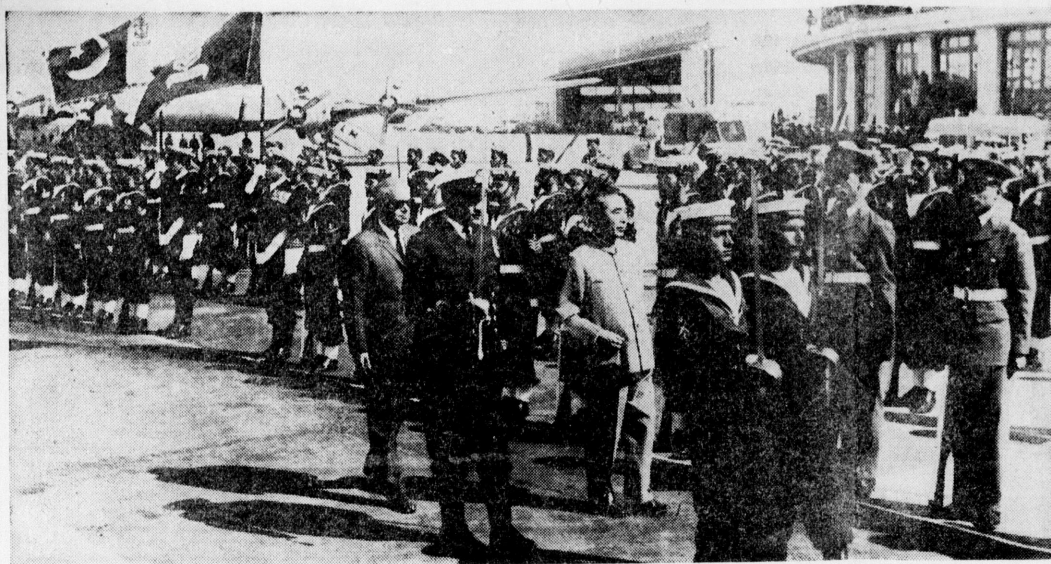
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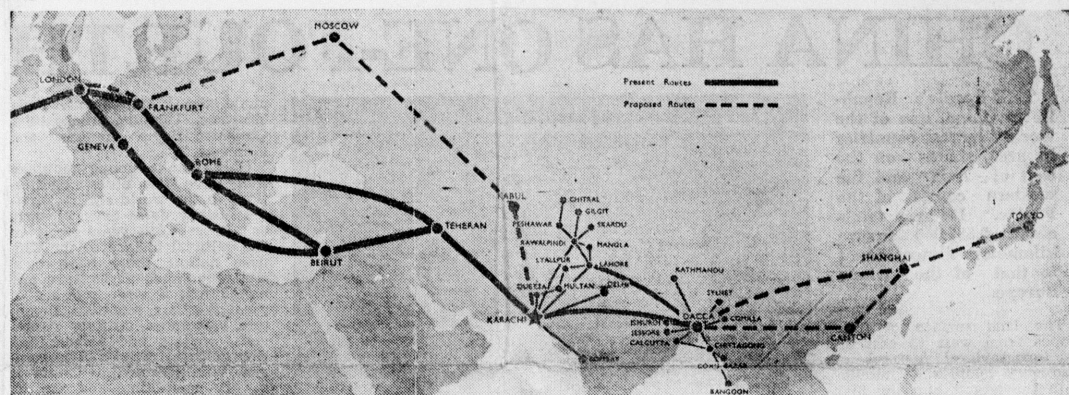
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The proposed flights to Tokyo—for which the Japanese Government's permission is still awaited—would cut the flight timings by nearly eight hours giving Pakistani airlines an edge over all other competitors. This is where it has hurt most, particularly the big Western carriers. PIA has, however, declared in the meantime that it would go ahead with its extension to Far East by terminating its flights at Peking and would touch at Canton and Shanghai en route.

To the American hints about banning the use of spare parts in China which have since been denied by the manufacturers, Pakistan has already given an answer. An agreement was signed on January 26 by PIA with Hawker Siddeley International for the purchase of 3 Hawker Siddeley Tridents 1-E pure jetliners with an option for an addition of further two. The jetliner which is equivalent of Boeing 727, has three aft-mounted Rolls-Royce turbines of latest

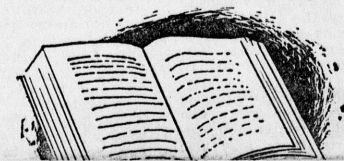
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KASHGAR LINK

Another point in China where there is possibility of a seasonal link is Kashgar, in the Sinkiang Province which neighbours Pakistan's Gilgit Agency. A special PIA flight with a Fokker Friendship—the first ever on that unchartered route—on September 10, was in fact the revival of an age-old trading route which linked the two countries for centuries. While the time taken by caravans was several months, it has been reduced to barely one hour. The flight which had Pakistan's Ambassador in China, General Raza, and members of Boundary Commissions on board besides Air Commodore Nur Khan, the Chief of PIA, received a tumultuous reception in

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PIA who became the first international carrier to obtain traffic rights through China in September last thus became the natural target of what could aptly be described as "business rivalry". The bilateral agreement with People's Republic of China, gives the Pakistani carrier the right to operate through Canton and Shanghai to Peking or beyond. This was a natural and most economical route for the Far East extension of PIA routes to Japan. The refusal of

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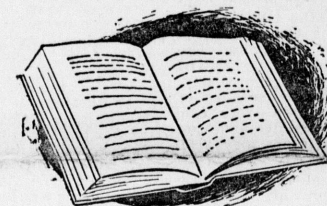
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KASHGAR LINK

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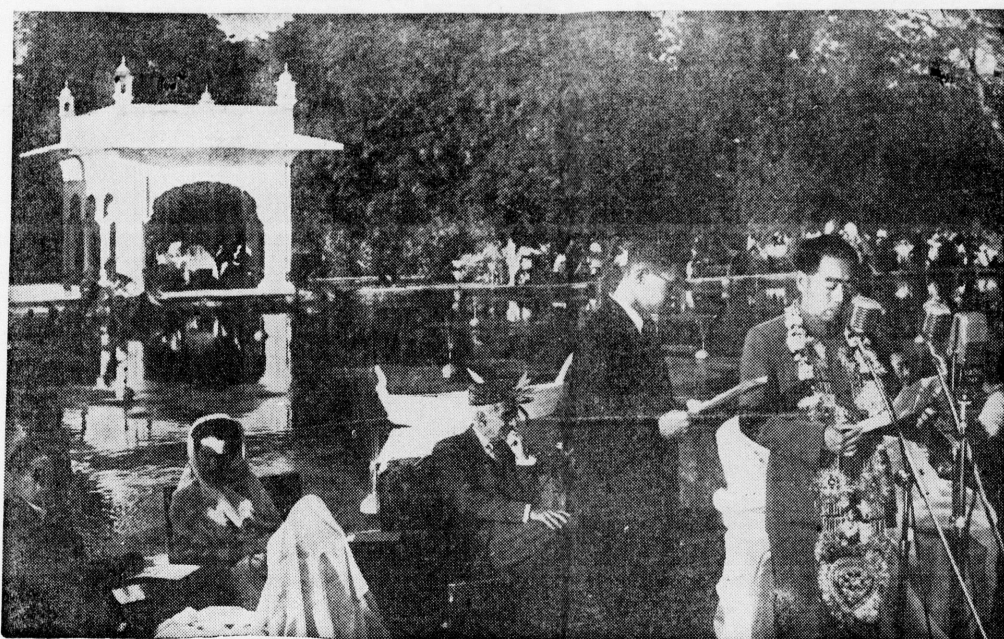
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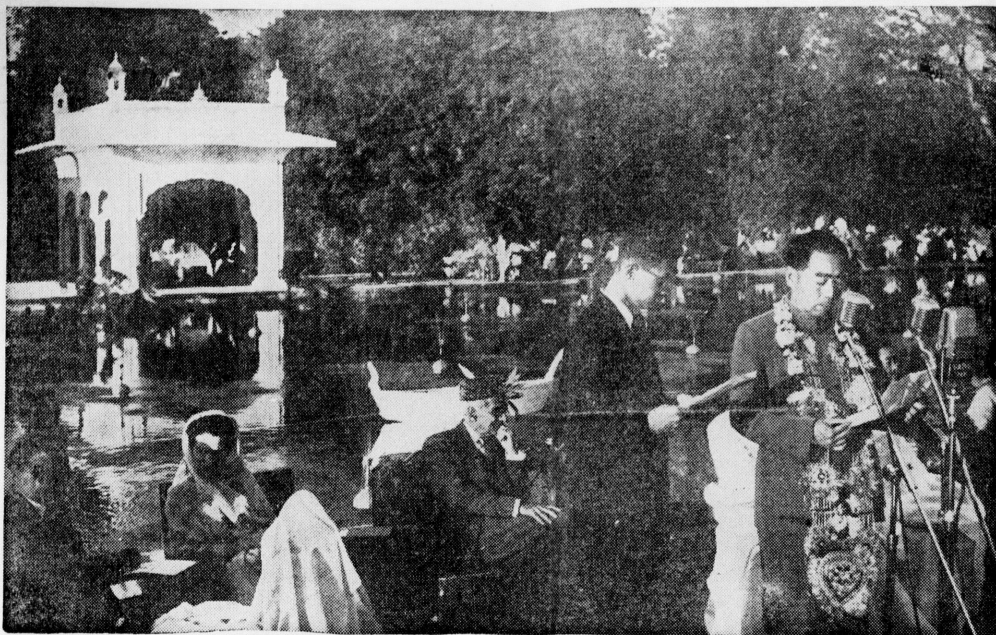
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During my stay at Peking, I visited a pharmaceutical factory which was equipped with modern machinery, mostly designed on the pattern of Russia and East Germany. This factory was set up as a model and they were trying to develop it further.

In Manchuria, which is a highly developed industrial area, I visited an iron and steel works of gigantic size, an electric plant, steel-re-rolling mills,

etc. To my great surprise I found the jute mill in Hankow to be one of the most modern I had ever seen.

PROMINENT PART BY WOMEN

The next important aspect of their life that I noticed was the businesslike activity all round. I found that almost every man was employed, and I could not help noticing the prominent part being played by women. Almost 70 per cent of operators in the factories we visited were women. Some of them held high executive posts. I saw a lady working as Assistant Manager in a mill of 100,000 spindles in Shanghai. She had risen from the ranks and was thoroughly conversant with the working of the mill. She was a living example of enthusiasm.

MASS TECHNICAL EDUCATION

I visited a huge motor car plant which has cost nearly Rs. 700 million. The entire machinery at this project was being operated by local people. An important point which I would like to mention here is the mass technical education

programme they have undertaken and the method they are following in this respect. Which-ever factory I visited I found more persons than required on every machine. On making enquiry about this large number of technicians attached to each machine, I was told that only

heavy industry which would provide them the necessary machines and tools for increasing their agricultural production and for setting up small-scale industries in the rural areas. By this method they have achieved a two-fold objective. They are not only

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two or three of them were actual operators and the rest were under training. I think this is one of the secrets of the swift industrial progress they have made.

HEAVY INDUSTRIES

Though the Chinese peasants had taken the initiative in the Revolution, yet the leadership realised that concentration should be placed on heavy industries, among which are included iron and steel, machines and machine tools, heavy engineering, power, etc. They found that to develop the rural areas they must first have

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SUMMARY

Two months after Chou En-lai's five-day visit to Ghana, it is most difficult to discern any specific impact which it made on Ghanaian policy or public opinion. Official Ghanaian policy was well-disposed toward Communist China before the Chou visit, and cordial (though less than intimate) diplomatic relations existed between Peking and Accra. This situation has continued without substantial modification following Chou's visit.

Chou's visit produced the following concrete results: (1) Some favorable publicity for Communist China in Ghana, though not so much as might have been expected and not much more than Communist China ordinarily receives. (2) A joint communique which endorsed many Chicom policy aims. Except for a Ghanaian commitment to initiate active preparations for a "Second Bandung" conference, however, the communique for the most part merely restated existing Ghanaian policy. (3) A highly tentative offer by the Chicoms of a £88,000,000 credit, which was not publicized in Ghana and is not likely to be utilized in the foreseeable future. (4) Initiation of discussion of some small-scale aid projects, all within the framework of previous agreements.

Although Chou's visit was in part directed against the Soviet position in Africa, it did not result in public Sino-Soviet polemics in Ghana. Attempts were made privately,

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however, to erode Soviet influence and prestige. According to President Nkrumah, the Soviets were disturbed by the joint communiqué.

The most important effect of the visit may well have been its impact on Nkrumah's impressionable mind. This is a factor not susceptible to precise assessment, but it seems safe to say that Nkrumah's eighteen-hour exposure to Chou's persuasion would have reinforced the former's habitual suspicion of the West and of the United States in particular and encouraged him to continue his efforts to force Ghana down a "socialist" path of development. It may also have increased somewhat Nkrumah's caution in dealing with the Russians, although he seems as determined as ever to stand aside from the Sino-Soviet dispute and there is no sign that his policy toward the Soviet Union has changed in any essential respect.

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Virtually everything of significance that occurred during Chou En-lai's visit to Ghana January 11-16 took place behind closed doors. Aside from the official communiqué (A-371) and the speeches made at formal dinners (A-370), no information was released to the public concerning the substance of the Chou-Nkrumah talks. Nevertheless, since Chou's departure bits and pieces of information have filtered out through Ghanaian officials who were involved in conversations with the Chinese, and through members of the diplomatic corps who maintain friendly relations with the Chicom Embassy in Accra. Although hard information on the visit remains fragmentary, we are probably in as good a position as we are likely to be in the foreseeable future to draw up a balance sheet of the visit's net effect in Ghana.

Background of Visit. Ordinarily, Nkrumah would have been delighted to receive a visit from Chou En-lai. He has made it clear on numerous occasions that he considers Communist China (like other countries of the Communist world) a fellow member of the "anti-imperialist" front and an ideological ally. Furthermore, Nkrumah was deeply impressed by his trip to Communist China in 1961 and undoubtedly was eager to host a return visit. Finally, Nkrumah is usually receptive to visits by important leaders since he sees the visits as confirmation of his position as a world statesman of first rank.

Chou's visit came at a bad time, however. His arrival January 11 occurred little more than a week after an unsuccessful assassination attempt which drove Nkrumah into fearful seclusion at Christiansborg Castle. Since he was unwilling to appear in public with Chou and offer him the sort of reception ordinarily accorded chiefs of government, and was undoubtedly preoccupied with domestic affairs and thoughts of his own security, Nkrumah would probably have welcomed postponement of the visit. This reluctance to receive Chou at the scheduled time was reflected in the attitude of Ghanaian officials during the week before the arrival of the Chinese: most seemed to think that Chou would not come; some implied that the Chinese

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had been discreetly encouraged to postpone the visit. In any case, firm plans for the visit do not seem to have been made until a day or so before Chou's arrival, and the visit was downgraded from a "state visit" to a "friendly visit." These circumstances undoubtedly reduced the overall impact of the trip.

Chou's Activities. Aside from his arrival and departure at Accra Airport, a one-hour drive through central Accra on January 11 and a brief visit to Tema January 13, Chou was not exposed to the Ghanaian public at all. The rest of his time in Accra was spent in private discussions with Nkrumah, which reportedly totaled eighteen hours, at a few social functions (private dinner with Nkrumah on January 12 and formal dinners, to which the diplomatic corps was invited, on January 12 and 15), and "at rest."

Two brief speeches by Chou En-lai, made at the formal dinners January 13 and 15 (A-370), were published in the Ghanaian press. In them Chou praised Ghana's "positive role" in world affairs and the progress made in Ghana since independence and emphasized the importance of the fight against imperialism and neo-colonialism, and of the "national-liberation struggle" in Africa. In one of the speeches he launched a tirade against United States "imperialism" in Panama. Asserting that "the Panama Canal belongs to the Panamanian people just as the Suez Canal belongs to the United Arab Republic people," Chou pledged the "full support" of the Chinese people for Panama's "just patriotic struggle." This tirade was played prominently in the Ghanaian press, in sharp contrast to the action of the Guinean Government, which expressed regrets and suppressed publicity when Chou later made similar remarks in Guinea (Conakry's A-193).

Chou's slight exposure to the Ghanaian public considerably reduced the news-making potential of his visit. In fact, Chou received only slightly more publicity in Ghana than Soviet astronaut Valentina TERESHKOVA, who arrived a few days after Chou's departure.

The Joint Ghana-China Communique. The most significant features of the communique were:

1. A general endorsement of the Chicom line, as Chou purveyed it during his African tour, on such broad issues as imperialism and neo-colonialism, disarmament, prohibition of nuclear weapons, and Afro-Asian "peoples' solidarity." Nkrumah went somewhat further in agreeing with Chou on these issues than most other African leaders whom Chou visited.
2. Agreement that an Afro-Asian conference (i.e., "Second Bandung") is necessary and that active preparations should be made to convene it.
3. Agreement on desirability of an "Afro-Asian-Latin American People's Anti-Imperialism Conference." The endorsement of such a conference was less concrete than that of the "Second Bandung," since the communique spoke only of exploring possibilities for calling it, and not for active preparations. According to a Foreign Ministry official who participated in drafting the communique, the proposal for an Afro-Asian-Latin American conference was

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made by Nkrumah and was accepted with some reluctance by the Chinese. The idea of bringing Latin America into the Afro-Asian "anti-imperialist" movement had been thrown out by Nkrumah previously (e.g., in his message last September to the Afro-Asian Solidarity Conference in Nicosia--Embassy's A-195). Although the Chicom, too, have made some generalized statements in favor of including Latin America in a broad "anti-imperialist front," they probably would not welcome an immediate call for an Afro-Asian-Latin American conference since it might undercut plans for a "Second Bandung." Inclusion of Latin American representatives in an Afro-Asian conference would also limit the possibility of the Chinese employing racial arguments to further their cause.

4. Ghanaian support for Chicom seat in UN, and rejection of "two Chinas." In supporting the seating of Communist China in the United Nations and in rejecting any attempt to create "two Chinas" (thus in effect conceding Communist China's right to Taiwan), Nkrumah was repeating what was already Ghana's established policy on these issues.

5. Avoidance, for the most part, of East-West issues not affecting Africa. In this respect, Nkrumah conceded less to Chou than some other African leaders (e.g., the Chou-Nasser communique contained a reference to Viet-Nam, and the Chou-Ben Bella communique took an anti-US position on Cuba, Viet-Nam and Korea). On one of the few non-African issues mentioned in the Ghana-China communique, the Sino-Indian border dispute, the communique took a reasonably neutral position.

6. No mention of further economic aid. The communique's only mention of economic aid was indirect: the Ghana-CPR Agreement on Economic and Technical Cooperation was listed among other bilateral agreements which, according to the communique, had been implemented satisfactorily. During the talks which took place while Chou was in Accra, the Ghanaians actually requested an additional credit of £25,000,000 (\$70,000,000)--despite the fact that a Chicom credit of £27,000,000, which was extended in 1961, has never been utilized. The Chinese responded with a vague offer of an additional credit of £28,000,000, but this offer has apparently not been formalized (Embassy's A-432, February 27, 1964). Talks were also initiated during the Chou visit for certain types of relatively minor technical assistance, within the framework of the 1961 agreement. In general, the Chicom stressed the necessity of developing countries relying primarily on their own resources in developing their economies.

7. Restrained praise of Nkrumah and Ghana. Chou's praise of Nkrumah, a man accustomed and highly susceptible to flattery, was remarkably moderate. In one passage the communique stated that "Premier Chou En-lai admired the role of Ghana and its leader in the vanguard of the National Liberation Movement in Africa, in promoting African solidarity and in defending world peace." Elsewhere the communique asserted that "the Chinese party appreciated the Ghanaian leader's active efforts to achieve liberation and unity in Africa." In the communique and in his speeches alike, Chou omitted any mention of Nkrumah's pet idea of a continental government of Africa and carefully hedged his endorsement of African unity. He made no mention of

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Ghanaian "socialism." Any implication that Nkrumah is foremost among African leaders was carefully avoided. The reasons for Chou's reticence are obvious: excessive praise of Nkrumah and some of his ideas (such as the continental government of Africa) would have offended most other African leaders. As for Ghanaian socialism, Chicom doctrinal rigidity would have prevented his use of the term. Nevertheless, the fact remains that Chou offered much less in the way of flattery than Nkrumah probably expected, and considerably less than the Soviets usually accord him.

According to several relatively well-informed sources, the final text of the Ghana-China communique was much more favorable to the Chinese than the draft approved by the working groups. It seems that the Ghanaian working group, headed by Fred ARKHURST, Principal Secretary of the Foreign Ministry, made every attempt to avoid undue concessions to the Chinese position. Agreement on a preliminary text was reached on the working level, but the Chinese made last-minute changes in the draft which was presented to the Ghanaian working group late on January 15 (the eve of Chou's departure). The Chinese draft was rejected by the Ghanaian team, but Chou En-lai managed to have a private session with Nkrumah just before his departure and persuaded Nkrumah to accept the Chinese version.

It is not clear precisely which points were at issue, but one of them was apparently the endorsement of a Second Bandung conference. In any case, the incident illustrates Nkrumah's penchant for agreeing with his visitor of the moment, and his habit of ignoring the advice of his own officials.

Sino-Soviet Rivalry. Chou En-lai's visit did not bring open Sino-Soviet polemics to Ghana. Nevertheless, one of the primary aims of the visit was certainly to undermine Soviet prestige and influence. According to a friendly diplomat who maintains close relations with the Chicom Embassy in Accra, Chicom Ambassador HUANG Hua discussed the anti-Soviet aim of the visit quite candidly with his diplomatic contacts.

Nkrumah still seems most reluctant to admit publically that the Sino-Soviet dispute exists. The subject is tabu for the Ghanaian press, which never reports on the dispute. Just after Chou's arrival in Accra, however, the Ghanaian Times carried an editorial--doubtless written to Nkrumah's order--which in effect sets forth Ghana's attitude toward some of the key ideological issues in the Sino-Soviet confrontation (Embtel 510). The pertinent portion of the editorial reads as follows:

We in Ghana have other reasons, besides history, to feel a sense of togetherness with our Chinese friends.

Like them, we have chosen the path of socialism. We may, and in fact do, differ in our methods of approach to the building of socialism.

We are not doctrinaire. We believe in Nkrumaism, based upon scientific Marxist socialism as applied to our own peculiar conditions. We do not believe in the inevitability of revolution as the only means establishing socialism because we feel that

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the world's scientific advancement, with its horrors of nuclear weapons hanging over our heads like the Sword of Damocles, have rendered revolutions too dangerous to handle.

Nkrumaism teaches us that we can construct socialism through a peaceful revolution, by the steady and progressive upliftment of the living standards of the peoples of the so-called underdeveloped areas, and by the examples which this will create for the poverty-stricken millions of the industrialised capitalist nations. If this offers any divergency of thought, which may be doubted, it cannot be beyond containment.. For was it not the great Chinese leader Mao Tse-tung who called on the socialist fraternity to "let a thousand flowers blossom and different schools of thought contend?"

The editorial was probably designed to serve notice to the Chinese that Ghana's approach to several points at issue between the Soviets and Chinese is more closely in line with the Soviet than with the Chinese position. Given this approach, along with Nkrumah's desire for a united "socialist camp" and his insistence that the internecine struggle in the Communist world not be brought to Ghana, public attacks on the Soviet Union by Chou would have been counterproductive. The Chinese, therefore, were forced to employ indirect methods. These included disparagement of the value of Soviet economic assistance because of its poor quality and high cost, encouragement of self-reliance and independence from all foreign aid as the only road to true independence, and pressure on Ghana to participate in such anti-Soviet manoeuvres as the Second Bandung conference.

Only in strongly pro-Communist circles--primarily in the press, trade unions and the Party--did the Chinese quietly push a more direct anti-Soviet line. Among these pro-Communist elements, the Chinese have achieved some success, but it is the result of a continuing effort and not of the Chou En-lai visit in itself.

Even though the Chou visit appears to have played only a marginal role in extending Chicom influence in Ghana, the Soviets seem to have been highly disturbed by the visit. Nkrumah told the Ambassador recently that the Soviet Ambassador had taken him to task for the joint communique, which the Soviets felt lent excessive support to the Chinese position (Embtel 717).

Impact of Visit. Chou En-lai's visit caused hardly a ripple in Ghanaian public opinion. Those few persons already favorably disposed toward Communist China probably received some encouragement from the visit, but the overwhelming majority of the public--those who are either antagonistic toward Communist China, or, more frequently, blissfully ignorant of its existence--were scarcely touched by the visit. Chicom prestige among those politically conscious Ghanaians who form their own opinions seems to have received a much greater boost from the French recognition of Communist China than from Chou's visit.

The visit's effect on Ghanaian policy may have been somewhat greater than that on public opinion, but nevertheless was probably slight. Ghana

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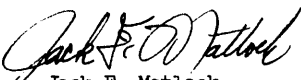
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already supported the seating of Communist China in the United Nations and opposed the "two Chinas" concept. Although not formally committed, Ghana would almost certainly have answered a call to a Second Bandung conference without a visit from Chou En-lai. Ghana's close relations with the Soviet Union, including a high degree of intimacy between Nkrumah and Soviet Ambassador RODIONOV, have continued apparently undisturbed following the visit. As for economic policy, a few articles appeared in the Ghanaian press after Chou's departure on the theme that economic development must be based on a country's own efforts and resources. However, Ghana's Seven-Year Development Plan, which was presented to Parliament by Nkrumah March 10, certainly did not reflect this philosophy, since it provided for massive amounts of foreign investment during the plan period.

Chou's impact on Nkrumah personally may well have been the most important result of the visit, although it is impossible to evaluate with precision. Chou's arguments would have reinforced Nkrumah's already deep suspicion of the West and of the United States in particular. They also would have strengthened his belief that Ghana can receive firm political support from "socialist" China for its drive against "neo-colonialism" in Africa, without sacrificing any of Ghana's freedom of action. In this sense, Chou's visit may have helped create the psychological prerequisites for Nkrumah's subsequent decision to step up attacks on the United States and to organize demonstrations against the American Embassy in Accra. There is no evidence, however, that Chou's visit and Ghana's anti-American campaign were connected in any more direct way.

Since Chou's departure, Nkrumah's occasional comments on the visit to Westerners have been mildly disparaging. For example, on the day of Chou's departure he told an American visitor that all Chou had done was talk, talk, talk--18 hours of it. Nkrumah expressed annoyance at Chou's exclusive preoccupation with politics and his inability to offer any real assistance to Ghana's economic development (A-374, January 21, 1964). In view of Nkrumah's habit of tailoring his remarks to suit his listener, it would be unwise to accept such comments at face value. They may, however, reflect a genuine annoyance at Chicom hard sell techniques.

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1. I HAD 45-MINUTE MEETING WITH FOMIN BHUTTO IN LAHORE
LAST NIGHT. NO ONE ELSE PRESENT. BHUTTO'S ATTITUDE
CORDIAL, OUTGOING, RELAXED AND ON USUAL FIRST-NAME BASIS.

2. AS TO KASHMIR, BHUTTO CONFIRMED GOP DETERMINATION TO
RETURN TO SECURITY COUNCIL THIS MONTH, BUT HIS APPROACH
TO PROBLEM FAR MORE FLEXIBLE THAN THAT OF PRESIDENT AYUB
OR FONSEC. AZIZ AHMED AS RECENTLY STATED TO ME. HE MADE
IT CLEAR THAT HE IS MORE INCLINED THAN CAREER OFFICIALS
OF FONOFF TO FOLLOW MODERATE TACTICS, GIVING WEIGHT TO
VIEWS OF US ESPECIALLY, AND OTHER KEY MEMBERS OF SC.
HE DENIED INTENTION TO AVOID REGULAR CONSULTATION WITH US.
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SAYING ABSENCE OF CONSULTATION AS TO REOPENING OF ITEM
IN SC WAS DUE ONLY TO FACT THAT RESUMED SESSION WAS
AUTOMATIC UNDER SC RULES, WITH NO NEW DECISION INVOLVED.
HE SAID HE HAS HAD SOME SUCCESS ALREADY IN BRINGING
PRESIDENT AROUND TO MODERATE VIEWPOINT AND HOPES TO
MAKE FURTHER PROGRESS. HE SAID THAT HE DID NOT RPT NOT
AGREE WITH FONSEC'S VIEW THAT DRAFT CONSENSUS
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1. IN SAME MARCH 8 CONVERSATION WITH ME AT LAHORE,
FOUJIN BHUTTO RESPONDED WITH EMPHATIC NEGATIVES TO ALL
MY PROBINGS AS TO WHETHER ANY PRIVATE AGREEMENTS,
COMMITMENTS TO UNDERSTAND UGS HAD BEEN REACHED WITH
CHOU-EN-LAI DURING HIS RECENT PAKISTAN VISIT. BHUTTO
SAID THAT AYUB AND HE HAD CAREFULLY STEERED CLEAR OF
ANY NEW AGREEMENT ON ANY SUBJECT WITH CHICOMS, NO
MATTER HOW INNOCUOUS. HE HINTED THAT CHOU-EN-LAI HAD
PUT OUT SOUNDINGS RE DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE DEFENSIVE
OR POLITICAL ARRANGEMENTS BUT SAID AYUB HAD REFUSED
EVEN TO CONSIDER ANYTHING IN THIS DIRECTION AND CHOU HAD
NOT PURSUED SUBJECT. PAKS HAD ALSO ESCHEWED ANY SORT
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OF ECONOMIC OR CULTURAL AGREEMENTS, EVEN THOUGH IN PAK
VIEW THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN HARMLESS. HE CATEGORICALLY
AFFIRMED THAT NOTHING HAD TAKEN PLACE TO CHANGE THE
PRESENT ORIENTATION OF GOP FOREIGN POLICY. HE THOUGHT
PRESS CONFERENCES GIVEN BY PRESIDENT AYUB AND HIMSELF
AFFORDED FURTHER CONFIRMATION OF STEADFASTNESS OF GOP.

2. I QUERIED BHUTTO AS TO INTENTIONS OF AYUB TO VISIT

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COMMUNIST CHINA. I SAID I HOPED AND ASSUMED ACCEPTANCE OF
CHICOM INVITATION TO VISIT CHINA AS ANNOUNCED IN JOINT
COMMUNIQUE WAS NOMINAL, AND THAT AYUB DID NOT HAVE ANY
ACTUAL PLANS TO MAKE THE VISIT. I STATED THAT THE US
GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE WOULD BE BOUND TO LOOK ASKANCE AT
AN OFFICIAL VISIT BY THE CHIEF OF STATE OF PAKISTAN
TO COMMUNIST CHINA UNDER EXISTING CIRCUMSTANCES.

3. BHUTTO'S REPLY WAS SUFFICIENTLY EQUIVOCAL TO BE
DISQUIETING. HE SAID THAT NO SPECIFIC DATE HAD BEEN SET,
AND I WOULD BE RIGHT IN ASSUMING THAT NO VISIT WOULD
TAKE PLACE IN THE NEAR FUTURE. HOWEVER, HE ADDED THAT
COMMITMENT TO MAKE THE VISIT WAS "DEFINITE" AND THAT
THE TRIP COULD NOT BE POSTPONED INDEFINITELY.

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HE COULD NOT SAY THAT THE VISIT WOULD TAKE PLACE
ONLY IN THE FAR FUTURE. THE GENERAL IMPLICATION OF HIS
RATHER EVASIVE STATEMENTS WAS THAT THE VISIT IS PROBABLY
SET UP TO TAKE PLACE IN THE MID-TERM FUTURE.

4. BHUTTO EXPRESSED HIS CONVICTION THAT IN TIME INDIANS
WILL AGREE TO NEGOTIATE SETTLEMENT OF BORDER DISPUTE WITH
CHICOMS. HE SAID CHICOMS HAVE GIVEN EVERY
INDICATION BY WORD AND ACTION OF THEIR WILLINGNESS TO
NEGOTIATE WITH INDIANS. IT SEEMED EVIDENT TO ONE THAT
PAKS HAVE ACTIVELY ENCOURAGED CHICOMS TO WORK FOR
PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT WITH INDIA. BHUTTO SAID THAT OTHERS,
ESPECIALLY BURMESE, ALSO WORKING ALONG SAME LINE.
HE SAID POSITIVELY THAT NE WIN HAD GONE TO DELHI TO
CONVINCE NEHRU THAT HE MUST SEEK A NEGOTIATED
SETTLEMENT WITH CHICOMS AND THAT CHINESE WOULD BE
RESPONSIVE. HE SAID THIS WAS CONFIRMED BOTH BY
BURMESE AND BY CHOU-EN-LAI. BHUTTO QUOTED CHOU-EN-LAI
AS SAYING THAT IN RESPONSE TO NE WIN'S INSISTENCE CHICOMS
HAD AUTHORIZED NE WIN TO TELL INDIANS THAT CHICOMS WERE
STILL AGREEABLE TO NEGOTIATION. HE SAID CHOU-EN-LAI WAS
VERY SKEPTICAL OF THE UTILITY OF NE WIN'S PEACEMAKING
EFFORT, BUT WAS RATHER PASSIVELY WILLING FOR NE WIN
TO HAVE A TRY.

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5. BHUTTO IMMEDIATELY SAID HE HAD COMPLETELY ABANDONED HOPE OF WORKING TOWARD A SETTLED SITUATION, WITH GENERAL RECOGNITION OF THE STATE AS A SEPARATE GOVERNMENT. HE FELT THAT EVEN THE SITUATION IN THE PERIOD DURING WHICH THE FRENCH NOTION OF A SEPARATE STATE WITH BOTH CHINESE GOVERNMENTS HAD BEEN A MATTER OF PRECEDENT, AND MIGHT BE A MATTER OF PRECEDENT.

6. BHUTTO SAID HE HAD BEEN DISAPPOINTED IN GETTING OVER SOME HOME THINGS AND HAD BEEN WITH BLUNTNESS, FORCEFULNESS, AND SOMEWHAT OF A MIND TO BE WATCHED. IMPLICATION WAS THAT HE HAD BEEN FOR TO DEFENSIVE CHARACTER OF THE STATE OF THE STATE AND SOUTHEAST ASIA, AND NECESSARILY A MATTER OF REALITY GOVERNMENT SEPARATELY AS A SEPARATE ENTITY.

7. I QUESTIONED HIM AS TO THE ATTITUDE OF CHICOM ENDORSEMENT OF THE STATE OF THE STATE WILL OF PEOPLE OF KASHMIR. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN NOT NECESSARILY HURT BY ENDORSEMENT OF THE STATE OF THE STATE NATURALLY THOUGHT CHICOM'S HAD BEEN A MATTER OF REALITY THEMSELVES IN KASHMIR AND THE STATE OF THE STATE WOULD BE FRUSTRATED IF THEY HAD BEEN A MATTER OF REALITY THEIR OWN SUBVERSIVE HAD BEEN A MATTER OF REALITY UNFORTUNATE IF CHICOM'S WERE HAD BEEN A MATTER OF REALITY OUT OF KASHMIR CFN 5 6 7

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SETTLEMENT. BHUTTO SAID HE HAD BEEN A MATTER AND MAYBE SOME GOOD WOULD BE A MATTER OF REALITY IN PRINCIPLE OF BASIC ELEMENT OF THE STATE OF KASHMIR. HE THOUGHT STATEMENT OF NEW CHICOM POSITION WOULD HAVE SOBERING EFFECT ON GOI AND HAD BEEN INCLINED TO IRRESPONSIBILITY AND INTRACTABILITY. HE SAID HE HAD BEEN CHICOM'S WOULD TRY TO EXPLOIT THE KASHMIR ISSUE IN ANY IRREFREHENSIBLE WAY. HE SAID THE INDIAN LONG HAD BEEN THE COMMUNISTS TO MAKE A COLD WAR ISSUE OUT OF KASHMIR WHEN THEY INDUCED THE SOVIETS TO BACK THEIR POSITION. MCCONAUGHY.

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(1) ~~Successes in Africa~~

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~~Successes in Africa~~ we believe
~~Successes in Africa~~ From Chicom viewpoint, successes presumably outweigh setbacks.

Successes:

a. Chou made general favorable impression, tending to create image of moderate and reasonable China, and to give respectability to Chicoms in Africa.

b. agreement in principle to exchange diplomatic representation. Tunisian/~~recognition~~ and Ethiopian promise of "normalization" of relations." Coincidental recognitions by Zanzibar, Kenya, Burundi and most important, France, lent further prestige to visit. Subsequent Congo (Brazzaville) recognition also relevant, with dangerous implication for future of GRC in Africa.

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c. Support from seven African countries for a second Afro-Asian conference, which represents an effort by Peiping to extend its influence among African and Asian countries.

Setbacks: Impact of tour diminished by cancellation of Tanganyika, Uganda and Kenya visits following Zanzibar revolt and army mutinies. Some East African leaders suspected Peiping involvement. Furthermore Chou probably alarmed some African leaders when (in leaving Somalia) he described Africa as "ripe for revolution."

(2) Trip probably will not in immediate future dramatically increase Chicom influence. But respectability facilitates Chicom access to Africa and enables Chinese to press anti-Western line under "Afro-Asian solidarity" and other disguises. Main longer-term threat is subversion, especially training of revolutionary cadre. Africa now high priority Chicom target, and for foreseeable future, Africa will presumably go through continuing crises of instability, and counterforces to subversion will probably decline.

(3) Chou visit likely to spur greater Soviet competitive efforts in Africa. Soviets presumably aware that open competition with Chicoms in Africa carries danger that Africans will try to play off Moscow against Peiping. But practical considerations of power and influence likely to overrule this apprehension wherever Chicoms really appear to be establishing influence. Examples of this prior to Chou visit are Algeria and Somalia, in both of which ~~Soviet competition has been a factor~~ ~~by Chicom competition may have been an element in Soviet policy decisions.~~

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~~From Moscow to Paris to Chou~~ Chou trip is imaginative and forceful part of
continuing effort (also carried on by Sovs) to erode Western position in Africa.

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Our assessment of results of Chou En-lai visit to Pakistan February 18-26 consistent with excellent appraisals we received from both Karachi and Hong Kong.

Pakistan-Chinese Communist Relations

Visit strengthened ties between Pakistan and China and provided each country with ideal sounding board for policy statements intended to be heard abroad. This evidenced by (1) fact visit took place in cordial atmosphere, (2) announcement that Ayub accepted Chou invitation for return visit to China, (3) Chinese support of Pakistan position on Kashmir in joint communique, and (4) statements in communique of views held in common on number of other foreign policy questions, particularly those of appeal to Afro-Asians.

On other hand, there is no hard evidence available that visit altered character of Pakistan-Chinese relations. Cordial high level visits have been exchanged before. Neither party appeared give or sacrifice anything substantial in process of arriving at joint communique. No new agreements, even cultural or economic, were announced.

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Pakistan-India Relations

Main immediate effect of visit was to embitter Indo-Pak relations. Chinese endorsement Pak position on Kashmir has further hardened Indian position on dispute. GOI also concerned at following phraseology in Ayub-Chou communique: QUOTE They also reviewed the recent developments in this region and arrived at a fuller understanding of matters of common interest. UNQUOTE

Possibility cannot be excluded this refers to some understanding on how to deal in concert against India. We know that GOP officials considered desirability seeking Chinese promise to take some kind of action against India in event of an Indo-Pak clash in Kashmir. To date, however, we have no indication any agreement was reached.

Sino-Soviet Relations

Chou visit accentuated Sino-Soviet split over policy for subcontinent as Chicom now clearly aligned with Pakistan on Kashmir.

US-Pakistan Relations

Chou visit has adversely affected US-Pak relations in following respects:

1. US press, public and Congress doubts about Pakistan's anti-communist stance have increased.
2. Since the US sees its long term interest and that of free world best served by cooperation of countries of subcontinent in common defense of security interests against communist penetration, any move toward closer Pak-Chicom relationship further erodes opportunity presented in 1962 to reduce influence of communist powers in subcontinent.
3. Improved Pak-Chicom relationship will undoubtedly be used by Pakistan to put political pressure on US to be more responsive to Pakistan's concerns particularly about India.

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At same time, several important conditioning circumstances need be borne in mind:

1. GOP leaders demonstrated welcome awareness of need to alleviate US concern over visit. Ayub and Bhutto went out of way in press conferences during visit to reaffirm Pak support of its alliances with West. Ayub spoke of particular value of US assurances to Pakistan.

2. GOP handling of public affairs aspect of visit was restrained. Joint communique was moderate in tone, especially as a Chicom document. Chou had little opportunity to speak to large groups. There was some evidence GOP asked him to tone down some anti-Western remarks he had prepared.

3. Although Pak press treatment was extensive and generally favorable, it was also moderate -- apparently due to government guidance.

In sum, two of principal lines of Pakistan policy were clearly reflected in handling visit: (a) continued support of Pakistan's alliance with the West; and (b) QUOTE normalization UNQUOTE of relations with the Chinese, as an additive factor in Pakistan's security calculus, in order to bring further pressure on India. Also evident during visit was desire of both countries to identify themselves more closely with Afro-Asian world generally, and China's desire to present image of reasonableness in its confrontations with US and Indians.

On basis of available evidence we judge that Chou visit to Pakistan did not in itself adversely affect basic US interests in Pakistan. ~~to major degree~~ At same time, we are concerned with ~~acknowledging~~ adverse effects of visit on our interests in India, and on an Indo-Pak rapprochement, and in enhancing a misleading image of Communist China both in Pakistan and elsewhere in Asia.

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We hope discussions which you and Talbot will have with Ayub and other Pakistan leaders will enable us to complete third step of scenario described in Deptel 1086, and establish framework within which we can move to step four.

As we see it these conversations will have two principal objectives:
(to Karachi 1807 New Delhi)

- 1) To check our assessment of results of Chou visit (Deptel 1170A); within
- 2) To establish the framework of political understanding/which we are

prepared to move into discussion of long-term military assistance to Pakistan;

1. Assessment results Chou visit. While Chou visit has not in itself adversely affected to major degree basic US interests in Pakistan, whole trend towards Pak-Chicom amity runs counter to US effort box in expansionist Chicoms. At time when we seeking halt Chicoms in SEA, Paks publicly embracing them, even though Ayub and Bhutto have publicly stressed their continued commitment to the alliance relationship. As far as we can determine they see their relations with Red China as additive to this relationship and

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Retiring Canadian HICOM, with whom I travelled on plane from Ceylon today, expressed regret he had not found opportunity to inform Ambassador of his farewell talk yesterday with Felix Dias Bandaranaike about Chou-en-Lai's visit to Ceylon. He found Felix, who conducted detailed discussions with Chou on Sino-Indian issue, believing that Ceylon now has received matching pledges from China and India that neither will launch military operations, regardless of provocation, before consultation with Ceylonese powers. Felix anticipates, therefore, that Colombo Group can exercise monitoring role which at minimum could prevent small incidents from growing into major fighting.

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HICOM said that from comments made during his farewell calls he concluded Chou had made strongly favorable impression in Colombo as man of peace. Leading Ceylonese thought Chou had presented his case with skill and moderation. He had explained Chinese attack in 1962 as a necessary response to Indian penetration into Tibet and to show world which of two countries stronger. Having fully accomplished both ends, China would not again undertake military action against India. HICOM noted that Ceylonese seemed to accept Chou's pitch at full face value.

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Among valedictory observations after three years in Ceylon HICOM urged prompt settlement US-Ceylon dispute over compensation for nationalized oil properties as essential step to stop erosion of western position. He suggested many Ceylonese, including some political leaders, have anxious feeling they drifting toward CHICOMs after cessation US and West German aid. He interprets heavy publicity recent signing of Canadian aid program as reflection of desire to show that present government has not deliberately cut ties with West. His horseback guess is that Dudley Senanayake UNP, will win elections next year, especially (since UNP "heavily identified" with US) if US-Ceylon impasse resolved before then.

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FROM : Amembassy COLOMBO DATE: March 6, 1964

SUBJECT : Chou En-lai Visit

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There is enclosed a memorandum of conversation with R. B. WEERAKOON, Secretary to Prime Minister BANDARANAIKE, on certain aspects of CHOU En-lai's recent visit to Ceylon. In particular, Mr. Weerakoon explained the background to a speech given by Chou En-lai that had been the subject of some rumored comment in Ceylon. He also gave his reactions to the Chinese as negotiators and reported Prime Minister Bandaranaike's disappointment over having been unable to get any public concession from Chou on the Sino-Indian border dispute.

Mr. Weerakoon is an astute observer. He has accompanied the Prime Minister on several of her foreign trips, including her visit to Communist China a year ago, and is in an excellent position to comment on her relationships with foreign leaders.

For the Ambassador:

LaRue R. Lutkins

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Counselor of Embassy

Enclosure: *cc*

Memorandum of Conversation dated March 2, 1964.

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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

DATE: March 2, 1964

SUBJECT: Chou En-lai Visit

PLACE : Residence of Mr. Gamon

PARTICIPANTS: R. B. WEERAKOON, Secretary to the Prime Minister
David L. Gamon, First Secretary of Embassy

Mr. Weerakoon gave Mr. Gamon the following account of the speech delivered on behalf of Prime Minister CHOU En-lai at the rally sponsored by the SLFP labor organizations at Independence Square on February 28. When the Government of Ceylon was making plans for Chou's visit, the Prime Minister had asked a number of Government Party leaders for suggestions for a topic for Chou's speech at the SLFP labor organization rally. One suggestion was that he might talk on the revolution in China, but the Prime Minister thought that that topic would not arouse enough interest among the Ceylonese workers. Finally it was suggested and approved by the Prime Minister that Chou be asked to speak on "The Role of the Worker in a Changing Society." This suggestion was telegraphed to Chou about ten days before his arrival in Ceylon. On the morning of the rally the Prime Minister's office, not without difficulty, obtained from the Chinese a copy of the English text of Chou's speech. Mr. Weerakoon, who read it at that time, found to his surprise that the speech was on the international situation as seen by the Chinese. He was amazed to see how violently anti-American it was. The Prime Minister's office prevailed upon the Chinese to take out some of the more virulent passages but felt that it could not insist that all references to the United States be eliminated. Mr. Weerakoon said that Prime Minister BANDARANAIKE had been very embarrassed by the episode, but she felt there was nothing she could do aside from having Chou's original text toned down somewhat.^{1/}

Mr. Weerakoon did not want to be drawn out on the details of what the Chinese might have obtained during their visit to Ceylon. He did say that, to him, the most important achievement for Ceylon was to obtain agreement from the Chinese that they would provide Ceylon with textiles under the Sino-Ceylon

^{1/} The text of the speech, as released by the Chinese Embassy, was transmitted under cover of the Embassy's A-594.

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Economic Aid Agreement. He said that "some people" (with whom Mr. Weerakoon did not fully agree) placed considerable importance in the Chinese undertaking to provide Ceylon with an International Conference Hall. These people believed that, aside from the foreign exchange which such a facility would hopefully bring in, it had an important prestige value.

Mr. Weerakoon said that there were a number of people in Chou's entourage whom he had previously met when he visited Peiping with the Prime Minister in 1963. In particular, he had again seen one of the official interpreters, a man who spoke excellent American English, having at one time attended a university in California. He went on to say that he had reached the conclusion that the Chinese had two personalities. On the one hand they were urbane and charming and appeared to lay great emphasis on courtesies. On the other hand, he said, they were unyielding negotiators. Mr. Weerakoon said that on several occasions after many hours of negotiating the Chinese had not budged an inch from their original position. In this context Mr. Weerakoon said that the Prime Minister was very disappointed that she had been unable to get any public concession from the Chinese on the Sino-Indian border issue.

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IN COMMUNIQUE THAT NOT ENTIRELY SATISFACTORY;

(B) SHAFQAT TOLD PAKISTANI COURCE THAT NO AGREEMENT REACHED
WITH CHICOMS TO IMPLEMENT THEIR SUPPORT ON KASHMIR;

(C) ACCORDING CONVENTION MUSLIM LEAGUE SOURCE, GOP HAD MADE
STRENUOUS EFFORTS TO GET CHOU TALK ABOUT KASHMIR IN PUBLIC
SPEECHES AND TO HAVE MORE EXPLICIT REFERENCE TO SELF-DETERMINATION
IN COMMUNIQUE BUT HAD FAILED;

(D) CHOU'S REFUSAL DISCUSS KASHMIR IN PRESS CONFERENCE BEYOND
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FINAL PARA EMBTEL 1603 CHOU AVOIDED DIRECT ANSWER BUT IMPLIED THAT KASHMIR SHOULD NOT BE ON AGENDA. CHOU SAID CONFERENCE SHOULD "DISCUSS GENERAL PRINCIPLES TO SEEK COMMON GROUND AND RESERVE OUR DIFFERENCES" AND ADDED "WE SHOULD DISCUSS QUESTIONS OF COMMON CONCERN, QUESTIONS ON WHICH WE CAN REACH COMMON AGREEMENT. AS FOR DISPUTES BETWEEN AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRIES IN PRINCIPLE, WE ARE FOR THEIR SOLUTION THROUGH CONSULTATIONS BY PARTIES CONCERNED AND SO THAT OTHER ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES MAY ENGAGE IN FRIENDLY MEDIATIONS IN SUCH DISPUTES."

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FROM : AmConsul FUKUOKA

DATE: March 6, 1964

SUBJECT : ChiCom Asia-African Solidarity Committee Delegation
Makes Foray into North Kyushu

REF :

SUMMARY

A recent two-day visit to North Kyushu by a Chinese Communist Asia-Africa Solidarity Committee delegation, headed by CHAO An-po, failed to have any positive impact and may even have had a negative effect despite heightened Japanese interest in expanding relations with the mainland following the French demarche. The inability of the group's economic expert to discuss trade prospects in concrete terms evidently was disillusioning to his listeners. Chao himself played upon themes calculated to appeal to Japanese audiences -- Okinawan reversion, Japan's role in Asia, independence, racial and cultural ties with the mainland -- but his intemperate attacks on the USSR, as well as on the U.S. and the image of the late President KENNEDY, probably was a disconcerting revelation for many who heard him of Chinese Communist arrogance and fanaticism. Almost ignored by the local press, the Chao visit seems to have accomplished nothing in this area to advance the Chinese Communist "smile campaign" directed toward Japan.

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I. The Itinerary ^{1/}

During the recent visit to Japan of a Chinese Communist Asia-Africa Solidarity Committee delegation, CHAO An-po, leader of the group, together with three other delegation members and two Chinese interpreters, made a brief sortie into northern Kyushu, February 18-20. Initial press reports indicated that the only visit of the Chao delegation in this area would be to Beppu. Subsequently, however, it was arranged to have the group spend approximately one day in Fukuoka en route. This stop-over apparently was scheduled at the request of the Fukuoka Asia-Africa Solidarity Committee, a new organization which seems to have been hastily formed just several days before Chao's arrival. (The chairman of the new committee is Toshio TANAKA, ex-Japan Socialist Party JSP - Heiwa Doshikai faction / Diet member who stood unsuccessfully in the general election last November. The membership of the new organization is not known, but police assume that it is composed exclusively of representatives from the usual assortment of left-wing groups.)

Two meetings were held in Fukuoka during the afternoon of February 18. One, addressed by Chao himself, appears to have been a public meeting and was held in the Civic Auditorium attended by approximately 1,300 persons. The second, evidently a more exclusive gathering, possibly chiefly for businessmen interested in the prospects for trade with the mainland, was addressed by YUNG Lung-Kuei (湯龍桂), Deputy Director of the Economics Institute of the Chinese Academy of Sciences. ^{2/} Following these meetings, Chao and his companions were entertained at a dinner, nominally on the invitation of Governor UZAKI. Neither the Governor, his deputy nor any local government officials were present, however, and the guests appear to have been chiefly representatives of the JSP, Communist Party (JCP), Minseido, Ampo Kaigi and other left wing groups.

The following day in Beppu, the Chinese Communist delegation was received with considerably more fanfare. Mayor ARAGANE was on hand for the welcoming party at the railway station sponsored by the Beppu District Labor Council and the New Japan Women's Association (Shin Nippon Fujin Kai), the latter gracing the occasion with a rendition of "Tokyo-Peking" joined by Chao and his companions. Following a press conference held by Chao at the station, a reception was given for the delegation at the Oita Prefectural Educational Hall attended by an estimated 400 persons and again apparently sponsored primarily by left-wing organizations. Chao's only public address in Beppu was delivered on this occasion. Chao met for approximately an hour on February 20 with the Editor-in-Chief of the Oita Godo Shinbun and, following a brief sight-seeing trip, the delegation left that day for Tokyo.

^{1/} Information contained in this airgram on the movements of Chao's delegation while in this area and on the substance of their addresses to and conversations with Japanese was obtained primarily through the Kyushu Regional Public Security Bureau.

^{2/} According to local police, Yung also was identified as Deputy Secretary General of the Chinese Committee for the Promotion of International Trade.

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II. The Pitch

In the context of an effort to hold out the prospect of harmonious and mutually beneficial relations between Japan and Communist China in the hopefully not-too-distant future, Chao An-po did not neglect to play upon the especially close historical and cultural ties which this area has had with the mainland. In Oita, for example, he referred to the discovery in the Hakata Bay area, late in the 1700's, of a gold seal believed to have been given to a local chieftain by an emperor of the Han Dynasty. "In those days, the people of Japan and China were in close association with each other," Chao pointed out, adding that "modern Chinese" wish to restore this close relationship and bear no ill feelings toward Japan for such "troubles" as it may have caused in the past.

A. "American Imperialism" - Particularly in Beppu, however, Chao hammered away at the theme that the chief obstacle lying athwart the restoration of close and amicable relations between Japan and China is "American imperialism," a concept which he painted with strong racial overtones, aided and abetted by the Soviet Union. Thus, in addition to expressing sympathy and support for the struggle of the Japanese people to remove U.S. military bases from Japan and obtain the return of Okinawa, Chao insisted that throughout Asia and Africa countries which are regarded as allies of the United States are increasingly expressing their opposition to racial discrimination in the United States, particularly when directed against their own diplomatic representatives. By contrast, China, in accordance with its "Five Principles," lives peacefully with and treats all other countries equally and, Chao insisted, there have been no cases of racial discrimination in China.

But, Chao asserted, "American imperialism" now is "cornered" and on the brink of total defeat. Having sent its troops into Asia, Africa, and Europe, America's economy faces bankruptcy; in South Vietnam even America's own military experts are conceding defeat at the hands of guerrillas who already have liberated two-thirds of the entire territory of Vietnam and half of its population; its puppet regimes in South Vietnam have been toppled in succession, and a similar fate awaits the CHIANG and PAK governments in Taiwan and in South Korea. In every corner of the world, Chao told his audience, "American imperialism has gone aground politically and economically." According to Chao, it was in acknowledgment of this fact that France recognized Peiping, thus attempting to extricate itself from U.S. pressures, and to a similar end both France and Great Britain intend to carry on trade with Cuba despite U.S. opposition.

Chao, however, seems to have betrayed some doubt that perhaps in Japan the image of the late President KENNEDY had limited the creditability of this portrayal of U.S. policies even among an audience which must have been composed primarily of those sympathetic to left-wing causes. In any event, Chao took special pains to attack that image. How, he asked, can leaders like EISENHOWER and Kennedy, who have sent troops and established bases abroad and have applied pressures against the efforts of countries to achieve independence be called peaceful? It was for this reason, he explained, that the Chinese Communist delegates, joined by those from Cuba, North Korea, North Vietnam and Japan, refused to participate in the prayer offered at the Warsaw Communist Party

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conference for the loss of the President as a great world leader. In Chao's opinion, it would have been more appropriate to offer a prayer for "those who were sacrificed and victimized in the Cuban struggles and those who died in moves for peace in Japan ..."

Given the almost complete lack of sympathy in Japan for the Chinese Communist behavior at the time of President Kennedy's death, it is somewhat surprising that Chao even broached this subject. Either he was not informed of the Japanese reaction to what was generally regarded here as inhuman callousness and a shocking demonstration of bad taste, or, and more probably, Chao considered this reaction to have been the result of a wrong-headed misunderstanding of Communist China's motives.

B. Soviet Betrayal - But Chao reserved his most bitter invective for an attack against the Soviet Union for its betrayal of Marxism and Leninism and of the anti-imperialist cause in general. In his speech in Fukuoka, Chao apparently gave himself over almost entirely to this diatribe, reciting for his audience a long catalogue of Soviet crimes against socialism, most particularly in withdrawing technical assistance from Communist China and failing to resist the U.S. demand that it withdraw its missiles from Cuba. In Beppu, Chao denied the Soviet claim of having given generous assistance to Communist China, asserting that China has had to pay for all forms of assistance received, including weapons and planes obtained from the USSR during the Korean War. Also in Beppu, Chao accused the Soviet Union of acting as the puppet of the United States in refusing to veto the UN action in sending a peace force into the Congo. In defending the Chinese Communist action in the Indian border dispute -- Chao accused the Indians of illegally occupying a portion of China's territory equivalent to one-third the total area of Japan -- Chao charged that the Soviet Union had acted in collusion with the United States and had sent arms to India which subsequently were used against the Chinese Communist forces. (In this latter connection, Chao noted that Peiping had filed a strong protest with Moscow.) Such facts, Chao insisted, demonstrate that the Soviet Union "consistently has been acting against the Chinese people." He apologized for the fact that the Sino-Soviet rift has given rise to "certain misgivings and worries" in Japan and elsewhere. He placed the blame for this regrettable situation, however, entirely with the Soviet Union which, Chao asserted, has created an "irreparable breach" between the two countries. This development, Chao told his audience, is "too bad for the Soviet Union."

C. The Champion of Peace and Independence - In sum, in Chao's picture of the present world, it is Communist China which now stands at the head of the ~~the~~ forces for peace, racial equality, and national independence. Communist China, said Chao, is wrongfully accused of being warlike -- in his press conference at Beppu he expressed appreciation for the fact that Foreign Minister OHIRA in remarks during a recent Diet interpellation had acknowledged that Communist China was neither a military or an economic threat to Japan -- and only is determined to resist any invasion of its homeland by imperialists. On the basis of its Five Principles, Communist China gives support to and is steadily expanding friendly relations with countries of Asia, Africa, and Latin America

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who are struggling to achieve their independence. For this reason, Chao insisted, Prime Minister CHOU En-lai received a warm welcome during his recent visits to Africa and Asia. Chao emphasized that Communist China will not be deterred from this course by the efforts of the U.S. and the USSR to rule the world. In Fukuoka, he asserted that Communist China will have its own nuclear weapons, but he assured his audience with these would never be used against Japan. China seeks only peaceful relations with Japan, and Chao was confident that no matter how much the United States may try to frustrate the realization of this relationship, it eventually will be achieved as Japan comes to deal with the problem more independently.

D. The Future of Japan-China Relations - In his conversation with the editor-in-chief of the Oita Godo Shimbun, Chao appears to have been somewhat more specific than in his public speeches on the subject of the future of Japan-Communist China relations. Chao acknowledged that Japan's industry and technology are the most advanced of any country in Asia and that the possibility exists for mutually beneficial trade between Japan and the mainland in amounts "ten or twenty times greater" than present levels. Chao applauded what he saw as a growing tendency in Japan to regain its independence of action and to act on the basis of friendship for and racial ties with China rather than in response to the dictates of the United States. He emphasized that Communist China does not agree with the principle of the "separation of economics and politics" but conceded that forward progress on both fronts need not necessarily be made simultaneously. Apparently in this context, Chao expressed support for an increasing number of conferences and talks between the two countries on the expansion of trade -- he suggested that this might be done either through the Japan-China Trade Promotion Association or the Japan-China Friendship Association -- as well as for an exchange of correspondents and commercial representatives. (At the time of his press interview in Beppu, Chao also expressed the hope that it would be possible to open air service between the two countries.)

On this occasion, Chao also held up the example of France's recognition of Peiping as a contribution to world peace and expressed the hope that Japan will endeavor to recognize Communist China as soon as possible and, taking an independent stand, make a contribution to peace in Asia. In this connection, however, Chao pointedly took exception to the view, which he noted had some currency in Japan, of "two Chinas" or "one China, one Taiwan" and asserted that Peiping has no intention of altering its position on this issue. Chao also insisted that it will only be a matter of time before Peiping's rightful position in the United Nations is acknowledged, but he implied that Communist China feels no special sense of urgency on this score.

III. An Assessment

It is not known whether this brief foray into northern Kyushu by Chao and his party was intended to serve any purpose other than to make a public appearance in an area which could be expected to be especially responsive to the notion of improving relations with the mainland. Even in these limited terms, however, it is strange that this appearance was not staged in Kita Kyushu City which generally has demonstrated a greater receptivity to Chinese Communist visitors

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than other cities in the area and whose Socialist Mayor YOSHIDA recently announced the conclusion of a "trade agreement" with the mainland. ^{1/}

During their stay in this area, Chao's contacts, as well as those of the other members of his delegation, appear to have been limited almost entirely to representatives of left-wing groups. So far as we are aware, neither Chao or the others met with any influential conservative members of the business community who might be sympathetic to an expansion of trade with the mainland. Somewhat more curious is the fact that with the exception of Toshio Tanaka, no locally prominent JSP or Sohyo leader was publicly associated with the visit. Governor Uzaki's absence from his own dinner party for the delegation was particularly notable, and although Governor KINOSHITA of Oita Prefecture is considerably to the right of Uzaki, it is of interest that he too seems to have kept his distance from the delegation.

Given the heightened interest evident in the area with respect to the possibilities for improving relations with the mainland following the French demarche, the timing of the Chao visit would seem to have been particularly auspicious. Indications of its impact, however, suggest that Chao and his companions failed to capitalize upon this. To the extent that this interest has focused on trade prospects, the performance of the group seems to have been notably weak. According to our information, in Fukuoka, Yung Lung-kuei took the line that although Communist China is suffering no serious shortages, it is prepared to buy many products from Japan provided the price and quality of the goods is comparable to or better than those obtainable elsewhere. Yung painted a glowing picture of Communist China's export capacity in general terms, but reportedly was unable to answer specific questions raised by his audience, taking refuge in the excuse that he was not a specialist in such detailed matters. Our informants have commented that the reactions of the Japanese present seemed to be that Yung was a "wind bag" and that, in any event, given the Chinese Communist tight centralized control of trade, he was not in a position to promise anything.

Nor did the delegation fare any better with the local press. The Nishi Nippon Shimbun ignored the visit entirely, while the Oita Godo Shimbun carried only three brief news items. So far as we are aware, moreover, the arrival of the group does not appear to have been given even routine television coverage.

In general terms, therefore, the impact of Chao's visit to this area seems to have been virtually nil. Apart from Yung's evidently poor performance, one can only speculate on the reactions of those other groups which met with the delegation and heard Chao's speeches. When speaking directly to Japan, of course, Chao was careful to present a most benign and amicable mien. But it seems probable that, except for those of his audiences who were ideologically committed to support of the Peiping regime, the bitterness of his attacks on both the U.S. and the Soviet Union and his evidently arrogant insistence that

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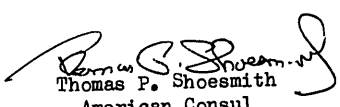
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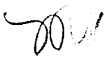
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only Communist China acts from pure motives and that it alone is qualified to represent the forces of world peace must have been a disconcerting revelation not unlike that experienced by many of those who attended the Hiroshima World Peace Conference last year. Once again, Communist China's mask of smiles kept slipping to reveal the twisted visage of the fanatic.


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QUOTE Question: Lately Mr. Chou En-lai has been visiting a number of countries, including Pakistan, where he has accorded full support to Pakistan on the question of Kashmir. I was wondering what your thoughts are on this development? Whether it helps the solution of this problem? And, secondly, sir, how does it affect your relations with Pakistan?

Answer: Well, I think our attitude on Kashmir has been expressed over many years, in the United Nations and elsewhere. I don't believe that the recent visit of Mr. Chou En-lai in Pakistan has affected our own position on that matter. We hope very much that India and Pakistan can find a solution to that problem and take fully into account the wishes of the people of Kashmir in doing so. That has been our position for fifteen years, and I see no ~~reason~~ reason to change it. And from the United States' point of view we have a special interest in this sense: That if these two great countries in the Subcontinent could find themselves working together in the closest cooperation, then that Subcontinent would be invulnerable from external attack, and they could both proceed

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1. CONGEN JUDGES THAT ON BALANCE CHINESE COMMUNISTS WELL SATISFIED WITH EFFECTS OF CHOU EN-LAI VISIT PAKISTAN, REGARDLESS OF PAK RESTRAINT ON SOME ISSUES OF INTEREST TO PEIPING, EFFORTS TO LIMIT VISIT'S IMPACT ON PUBLIC OPINION, AND AYUB'S EVIDENT CARE TO AVOID SHARP US REACTION.

2. FROM CHICOM STANDPOINT, GENERAL GAINS PROBABLY ARE CONSIDERED TO HAVE BEEN MUCH ALONG LINES OF THOSE REGISTERED DURING CHOU'S AFRICAN TOUR, PRINCIPALLY:

A) FOCUSING LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL ATTENTION ON CHOU'S ACTIVITIES, STATEMENTS, AND PERSONALITY, WITH EFFECT OF DRAMATIZING CHINA'S CLAIMED GREAT POWER STATUS AND CAPABILITY FOR MORE ACTIVE ROLE IN WORLD AFFAIRS;

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B) PORTRAYING CHINA'S GOVERNMENT AS RESPONSIBLE, MODERATE, CONSISTENT, PEACEFULLY INCLINED, AND IN TUNE WITH ALL VALID NATIONALISTIC FORCES IN EMERGING NATIONS, SOVIET AND US PROPAGANDA TO CONTRARY NOTWITHSTANDING;

C) IDENTIFYING CHINA AS LEADING AFRO-ASIAN NATION WHICH IS NOW IN POSITION TO EXTEND MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL RELATIONSHIPS AND WHOSE POLICY FOR NATIONAL SELF-DEVELOPMENT ACCORDS BEST WITH ASPIRATIONS OF UNDERDEVELOPED STATES TO ACHIEVE RAPID, DIGNIFIED INDEPENDENCE FROM WESTERN CONTROL.

3. IN ADDITION, BECAUSE OF PAKISTAN'S EXCEPTIONAL POSITION BOTH AS US ALLY AND HARSH OPPONENT OF EXPANDED US MILITARY AND ECONOMIC AID TO INDIA, CHICOMS ALMOST CERTAINLY BELIEVE CHOU'S VISIT HAS BROUGHT FOLLOWING SPECIFIC GAINS:

A) PLACING NEW STRAINS UPON US-PAK RELATIONS. EXISTING PUBLIC SKEPTICISM IN PAKISTAN AS TO USEFULNESS OF US-PAK ALLIANCE MAY HAVE BEEN DEEPENED BY CHOU'S ADROIT EXPLOITATION OF "GOOD NEIGHBOR" THEME, HIS ASSERTION (APPARENTLY UNCHALLENGED IN KARACHI) THAT PAKISTAN'S PARTICIPATION IN SEATO DERIVES FROM WHOLLY DIFFERENT SET OF CALCULATIONS AS TO IDENTITY OF POTENTIAL AGGRESSOR, AND HIS SUGGESTION THAT CONSISTENT WITH BORDER SETTLEMENT AND AIR AGREEMENT, PAKISTAN HAS SPECIAL CAUSE TO TRUST PEIPING'S BENEVOLENT INTENTIONS. MOREOVER, BY REACTING FAVORABLY TO AYUB'S "GOOD OFFICES" OFFER, AND IMPLYING HIS PARTIALITY, CHOU MAY HAVE BEEN COUNTING ON STIRRING UP NEW MISUNDERSTANDINGS BY PAKS IN US PUBLIC OPINION. MORE SIGNIFICANTLY, CHICOMS, BY OPENLY IDENTIFYING THEMSELVES WITH PASSIONATE NATIONAL FEELINGS OVER KASHMIR (WITHOUT USING ANY SELF-DETERMINATION FORMULA WHICH COULD ENDANGER STAND ON TAIWAN), MAY CONSIDER THAT THEY HAVE PAVED WAY FOR FURTHER INROADS IN PAKISTAN IN OTHER FIELDS, TO DETRIMENT OF US INTERESTS;

B) GAINING INTERNATIONAL PRESS COVERAGE FOR KEY ELEMENTS OF PEIPING'S POLICY TOWARD US, INCLUDING FIRM POSITION ON TAIWAN'S STATUS AS ANYTHING BUT TERRITORY OF PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF

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CHINA, PLACING ONUS FOR STRAINED RELATIONS ON "HOSTILE" US, AND AT SAME TIME IMPLYING REASONABLE FLEXIBILITY IN PEIPING'S POSITION (E.G., AGREEMENT "IN PRINCIPLE" TO WITHDRAW US FORCES);

C) PROVIDING FRESH IMPETUS FOR PEIPING'S EFFORTS TO ISOLATE AND DISCREDIT INDIA ON GROUNDS GOI ALONE BLOCKS NEGOTIATED BORDER SETTLEMENT, PERSISTS IN "GREAT NATION CHAUVINIST" ATTITUDE AND BUILDS UP MILITARY POWER WITHOUT CAUSE.

4. IN SUM, WE BELIEVE A) CHOU LEFT PAKISTAN FEELING THAT CHICOMS NOW HAVE MUCH GREATER ENTREE THERE THAN BEFORE, THAT PAK-US AND PAK-INDIAN RELATIONS FURTHER COMPLICATED, AND THAT USEFUL THEMES ON CHICOM-US DISPUTE DEVELOPED WHICH CAN BE APPLIED IN FORUMS SUCH AS AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE;

B) VIEWING PAKISTAN'S STRATEGIC POSITION IN ASIAN SUBCONTINENT, IT CAN BE ANTICIPATED THAT CHICOMS WILL ATTEMPT TO FOLLOW UP CHOU VISIT WITH ADDITIONAL APPROACHES AND BLANDISHMENTS TO EXPLOIT ADVANTAGES THEY HAVE ACHIEVED, OR THINK THEY HAVE ACHIEVED, IN PAKISTAN.

5. CONGEN'S OWN EVALUATION OF CHOU VISIT IS THAT CHICOM POSITION IN PAKISTAN HAS BEEN IMPROVED AT LEAST SOMEWHAT OVER WHAT IT WAS BEFORE CHOU'S ARRIVAL. NEVERTHELESS CHICOMS HAVE CHARACTERISTIC TENDENCY TO READ TOO MUCH INTO THEIR "SUCCESSSES," AND MAY WELL OVERPLAY THEIR HAND IN FUTURE DEALINGS WITH PAKS. AT SAME TIME, IT APPEARS TO US THAT IF GOP CONTINUES TO EXERCISE SAME KIND OF CAUTION IN HANDLING CHICOMS THAT IT DID DURING CHOU'S STAY, DELETERIOUS EFFECTS OF CHICOM-PAK CONTACTS CAN BE KEPT UNDER ACCEPTABLE CONTROL.

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PRESIDENT DID NOT SEEM AT ALL DEFENSIVE ABOUT VISIT OR ANYTHING THAT TRANSPIRED DURING IT. HE SEEMED TO FEEL THAT NO APOLOGY WAS REQUIRED AND HIS ENTIRE MANNER IMPLIED HIS ASSUMPTION THAT WE UNDERSTOOD REASONING BACK OF PAK INVITATION TO CHICOMS AND HAD CONFIDENCE IN HIS INTENTION AND ABILITY TO AVOID ALL PITFALLS IN COURSE OF VISIT. HE SIMPLY NODDED IN ACQUIESCENCE WHEN I TOLD HIM THAT MY ANALYSIS TO DATE WAS THAT VISIT HAD BEEN HANDLED IN MODERATE KEY AND THAT THERE WAS NO REASON TO SUSPECT ANY CHANGE IN ESSENTIAL GOP FOREIGN POLICY ORIENTATION.

PRESIDENT'S DESCRIPTION OF CONVERSATIONS MADE IT CLEAR THAT CHOU HAD ADOPTED DELIBERATE POSTURE OF SWEET REASONABLENESS NOT ONLY ON CURRENT ISSUES IN ASIA BUT ALSO ON ENTIRE SPECTRUM OF DIFFERENCES WITH US. THEY HAD LONG DISCUSSIONS OF EVENTS OF EARLY AND MID-1950'S INDICATING THAT MUCH OF TIME WAS TAKEN UP WITH HISTORICAL RATHER THAN CURRENT MATTERS.

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CHOU AND ENTOURAGE LEFT CEYLON FOR CHINA JUST BEFORE MIDNIGHT FEBRUARY 29, SHORTLY AFTER SIGNING OF JOINT COMMUNIQUE (EMBTel 498) WHICH HAD BEEN DELAYED ALMOST ELEVEN HOURS.

THREE AND HALF DAY VISIT MARKED BY LENGTHY CHOU-BANDARANAIKE TALKS, FEW PUBLIC APPEARANCES (MOST PUBLICIZED WAS DAILY SPONSORED BY GOVERNMENT PARTY UNIONS AND YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS WHICH DREW ABOUT TWO THOUSAND) AND AT BEST MILD PUBLIC ENTHUSIASM. CFN 507 19 97 4 5PM 497 29 498

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ALTHOUGH GOC UNDERSTOOD CHOU WOULD ADDRESS LABOR RALLY ON "ROLE OF WORKER IN CHANGING SOCIETY," FEW HOURS BEFORE EVENT GOVERNMENT WAS GIVEN TEXT OF SPEECH ON INTERNATIONAL SITUATION CONTAINING VIRULENT ATTACKS ON USA. PRIME MINISTER'S SECRETARY WEERAKOON TOLD EMBASSY OFFICER THAT TEXT WAS RETURNED TO CHINESE WITH REQUEST THAT PASSAGES INCONSISTENT WITH CEYLON NON-ALIGNMENT POLICY BE OMITTED, AND SOME WERE.

WEERAKOON ALSO STATED THAT CHINESE, UNDER THEIR FACADE OF URBANITY AND CHARM, WERE FOUND TO BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT NEGOTIATORS WHO REFUSED TO "BUDGE AN INCH" FROM THEIR ORIGINAL POSITIONS. AS ILLUSTRATION, HE SAID MRS. BANDARANAIKE WAS UNABLE PERSUADE CHOU TO MAKE ANY PUBLIC CONCESSION ON SINO-INDIAN BORDER PROBLEM ALTHOUGH SHE HAD WANTED VERY MUCH TO ACHIEVE.

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SOME RESULTS. (CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER INFORMED ME MRS. BANDARANAIKE HAD TOLD HIM SHE INTENDED TO PROPOSE TO CHOU THAT CHINA EITHER GIVE UP SEVEN POSTS IN LADAKH OR AGREE TO ALLOW INDIANS TO MAN EQUAL NUMBER POSTS THERE, IN ORDER TO PAVE WAY FOR SINO-INDIAN TALKS.) PRIME MINISTER IN BRIEF CONVERSATION ON WITH ME MARCH 3 CONFIRMED CHOU HAD NOT BEEN FORTHCOMING ON SINO-INDIAN QUESTION BUT HAD TAKEN POSITION THAT AS THERE WAS "A LULL" IT WAS BETTER NOT TO ATTEMPT NEGOTIATIONS WHICH MIGHT NOT BE SUCCESSFUL AND WOULD LEAVE THINGS IN A WORSE STATE THAN OBTAINED AT PRESENT.
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IN SPEECH AT RALLY CHOU SPOKE OF PRIME MINISTER BANARANAIE'S DECLARATION OF JANUARY 23 DENYING ENTRY TO CEYLON PORTS OF SHIPS OR AIRPLANES CARRYING NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND WENT ON TO SAY THAT "VALOR OF CEYLONESE PEOPLE IN UPHOLDING INDEPENDENCE" HAD WON RESPECT AND PRAISE OF CHINESE PEOPLE. IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE BOTH PRIME MINISTERS SUPPORTED ESTABLISHMENT OF NUCLEAR-FREE ZONES AND CHOU COMMENDED HER INITIATIVE.

FOLLOWING ARE EMBASSY'S PRELIMINARY REACTIONS TO SOME OF TOPICS COVERED IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE:

(1) DESPITE IMPRESSION CONVEYED BY PRESS THAT CHINESE EXTENDED INCREASED ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE IT IS EMBASSY'S UNDERSTANDING THAT OFFER OF TEXTILES MERELY REFLECTS EXPANSION OF LIST OF COMMODITIES TO BE MADE AVAILABLE UNDER EXISTING ECONOMIC AID AGREEMENT. BUILDING OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE HALL AND SUPPLY OF ADDITIONAL RICE MIGHT LIKEWISE INVOLVE NO NEW AID IN SENSE OF EXPANDED OBLIGATION ON PART OF CHINESE TO COMMIT FUNDS.

(2) GOC SUPPORT OF "RESTORATION" TO CHICOMS OF "LEGITIMATE RIGHTS" IN UN AND "REAFFIRMATION" OF GOC VIEW THAT TAIWAN INTEGRAL PART OF CHINA APPEAR TO GO BEYOND PREVIOUS EXPRESSION OF GOC POSITION ON CHINA QUESTION. WEST GERMAN EMBASSY SPOKESMAN ALREADY POINTED OUT TO DAILY NEWS REPORTER INCONSISTENCY BETWEEN GOC EXPRESSION RE TAIWAN AND ITS POSITION ON EXISTENCE OF TWO GERMANIES.
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(3) IN ADDITION TO AGREEING TO PARTICIPATE IN SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE, PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE SUCCEEDED IN INCLUDING IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE MENTION OF HEJH "ACTIVE INTEREST" IN SECOND NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE.

(4) MRS. BANDARANAIKE SUBSCRIBED TO STANDARD COMMUNIST POSITION ON COLONIALISM AND FOREIGN AID.

ON SURFACE, NEITHER SIDE APPEARS TO HAVE ACHIEVED ANY SIGNIFICANT GAINS FROM CHOU VISIT. QUESTION NATURALLY ARISES AS TO WHAT UNPUBLISHED AGREEMENTS MIGHT HAVE BEEN CONCLUDED. IN LIGHT RECENT PRESS REPORTS THAT CHINESE WERE SEEKING USE OF CEY, ONESE PORTS FOR TRANSSHIPMENT FACILITIES WHICH GOC FAILED TO DENY CATEGORICALLY (A-559) THERE IS FEELING THAT CHOU MIGHT HAVE OBTAINED PROMISE OF SOME SUCH FACILITIES FROM GOC.

IN SPITE OF EMPHASIS ON "DEEP FRIENDSHIP WHICH PEOPLE OF CEYLON HAVE FOR CHINESE PEOPLE" GOC DID NOT PLAY UP CHOU'S VISIT TO MERELY SAME EXTENT IT DID NEHRU'S VISIT IN 1962 AND AYUB S IN 1963.

CHOU VISIT AND ITS IMPLICATIONS WILL MOST LIKELY BE AIDED IN FOREIGN AFFAIRS DEBATE SCHEDULED IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES MARCH 5-6.

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On February 29 finally saw his Majesty, who expressed displeasure Chief of Protocol had deliberately failed pass on to Palace my February 7 request for audience.

1. As for Chou En-lai visit, King said Burundi Government had indeed extended invitation, but without his knowledge. No reply received as far as he knew.

2. Re establishment GRC Embassy at Usumbura, His Majesty appeared hesitant to undertake any action at this time. Said he had discussed matter with Prime Minister who felt that, in light French recognition of Peking and GRC closing its Embassy Paris, Burundi should adopt wait and see attitude, particularly with respect to reaction of French-speaking African states, and should delay any action re GRC at least until next session of GA.

Comment: Convinced King's anti-Peking sentiments have not changed but he obviously feels opportunity lost by Taipei's delay sending representative to Usumbura when he proposed it and present political situation not propitious for him to press this issue with Prime Minister or Assembly.

Embassy believes it could only embarrass King and inure to disadvantage US Government if it should press matter further at this time. GP-3.

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There are enclosed copies of (1) the official text of Prime Minister Sirimavo BANDARANAIRKE's welcoming speech upon the arrival of Vice Chairman Madame SOONG Ching-ling and Prime Minister CHOU En-lai at the Ratmalana Airport near Colombo on February 26, 1964, and (2) a newspaper report of Chou En-lai's response. Also enclosed is the full English text, as released by the Communist Chinese Embassy, of a speech delivered in Sinhalese for Chou En-lai at a labor rally he and Prime Minister Bandaranaike attended in Colombo on February 28.

For the Ambassador:
LaRue R. Lutkins
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1. Text of Prime Minister Bandaranaike's welcoming speech.
2. Text of Chou En-lai's response.
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Prime Minister Bandaranaike's speech of welcome on the arrival at Ratmalana Airport, near Colombo, on February 26, 1964, of the Vice-Chairman of the People's Republic of China and the Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China, as released by the Ceylon Ministry of External Affairs

Your Excellencies Madame Soong Ching Ling and Prime Minister Chou En-Lai,

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you and the distinguished members of your delegation to Ceylon. I still have vivid recollections of my very brief stay in your country during the beginning of January 1963 and I am indeed happy that you have given us this opportunity to reciprocate the hospitality and kindness which you extended to me and to the members of my delegation on that occasion. I extend to you, on behalf of the people and Government of Ceylon, warm and friendly greetings.

The relations between our two countries have been traditionally close and friendly. They are based on the principles of peaceful co-existence and the recognition that States with differing political, social and economic systems can live together in peace and harmony and co-operate with each other for mutual benefit. Your visit to Ceylon will, I am confident, strengthen further the close ties between our two countries.

Once again, on behalf of the Government and people of Ceylon, may I say how happy we are to welcome you in this country. I can assure you that a warm and enthusiastic reception will await you wherever you go. We look forward to making your stay here pleasant and comfortable.

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Text of Prime Minister Chou En-lai's response to Prime Minister
Bandaranaike's speech of welcome at Ratmalana Airport,
near Colombo, on February 26, 1964, as printed in the
Ceylon Daily News, February 27, 1964:

Vice-Chairman Soong Ching Ling and I have come to visit friendly Ceylon bringing with us the sincere friendship of the Chinese people. We heartily thank Her Excellency Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike for her kind invitation, and we are grateful to the Ceylonese Government and the citizens of Colombo for giving us such a warm and cordial welcome. As emissaries of friendship of the Chinese people, we look upon all this as an expression of the profound friendly sentiments of the Ceylonese people towards the Chinese people. Allow me, on behalf of the Chinese Government and people and in the name of Vice Chairman Soong Ching Ling and of my own to extend our high respects and cordial greetings to His Excellency Governor-General Gopawala, Her Excellency Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike and the people of Ceylon.

Long-standing profound friendship has existed between the Chinese and Ceylonese peoples. For the past decade and more, overall developments on a new basis have taken place in the traditional friendship between our two peoples. In particular, I would like to mention that Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike's goodwill visit to China last year has made outstanding contributions to promoting the friendship between the Chinese and Ceylonese peoples and left an endearing impression upon the Chinese people.

The Ceylonese people have a glorious tradition of fighting imperialism. In recent years, the Ceylonese people, led by Her Excellency Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike, have resolutely defended their national independence, persistently followed a road of independent development and achieved marked successes in developing national economy and culture. The Chinese people express sincere admiration for them and wish you continuous new victories.

The development of the relations of friendship and cooperation between China and Ceylon is in the common interests of the two peoples and beneficial to Asian-African solidarity and world peace. It is our hope that our present goodwill visit in Ceylon will contribute to the further strengthening of the relations of friendly co-operation between China and Ceylon.

Long live the friendship between the Chinese and Ceylonese peoples! Long live Asian-African solidarity! Long live world peace!

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PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI'S SPEECH AT MASS
RALLY IN COLOMBO

Your Excellency Respected Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike, Your Excellency Respected Chairman of the Organising Committee, Mr. S.D. Bandaranaike, Dear Friends,

Seven years ago, I paid a visit to your beautiful country and joined the Ceylonese people in a joyous celebration of the glorious festival of the ninth anniversary of the independence of Ceylon. And now Vice-Chairman Soong Ching Ling and I have come to your country, bringing with us the sincere friendship of the 650 million Chinese people for the Ceylonese people, and we have been accorded a splendid reception and warm welcome by the Ceylonese Government and people. At this grand rally, allow me, on behalf of Vice-Chairman Soong Ching Ling and in the name of Vice-Premier Chen Yi and of my own, to express our hearty thanks to you. I would also like to extend, on behalf of the Chinese Government and people, our cordial greetings and high respects to the citizens of Colombo and the entire Ceylonese people.

Ceylon is a country with an ancient cultural heritage. The Ceylonese people are a people with a glorious tradition of fighting imperialism and colonialism. After the independence of Ceylon, the Ceylonese people have maintained and brought this glorious tradition into fuller play, and waged unrelenting struggles to safeguard and consolidate their national independence and oppose foreign intervention. The imperialists and colonialists are not reconciled to their defeat. Resorting to such means as political blackmail, economic sanctions, infiltration and subversion, they have interfered in Ceylon's internal affairs and infringed upon Ceylon's sovereignty in a vain attempt to continue their control of this new-emerging state. However, the Ceylonese people, fearing no tyranny and pressure, have persisted in marching along the road of independence advocated by the late Prime Minister S.W.R.D. Bandaranaike, thus winning one victory after another. Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike has rightly said that Ceylon "was not prepared to barter away the independence and honour of the people." Recently, Madame Bandaranaike has solemnly declared that foreign warships or aircraft carrying nuclear weapons will not be allowed to enter Ceylon. The valour of the Ceylonese people in upholding independence and persevering in struggle has won the respect and praise of the Chinese people.

We are glad to see that since the independence of Ceylon and especially in recent years, the Ceylonese people have achieved marked successes on

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the basis laid by the late Prime Minister Bandaranaike and under the leadership of Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike in safeguarding state sovereignty, eliminating colonial forces and developing national economy and culture. Having forced the withdrawal of foreign military bases from Ceylon and taken over foreign educational institutions and some foreign enterprises, Ceylon has not long ago further taken over the insurance business and the distribution of petrol previously dominated by foreign monopoly capital. All these proper measures are of significance to the consolidation of national independence and the development of national economy and culture. In recent years, an increase has been registered in Ceylon's agricultural and industrial output, especially in the output of food grain. This is a result of the Ceylonese Government's call for self-sufficiency in consumer goods and for greater efforts to increase grain production. The Chinese people rejoice in each and every success achieved by the Ceylonese people along the road of independent development, and wish you still greater successes in the days to come.

In international affairs, the Government of Ceylon has consistently pursued a policy of independence, peace and neutrality, opposed imperialism and colonialism, and made positive contributions to the promotion of Asian-African solidarity and the defence of peace in Asia and the world. Ceylon is one of the sponsors and participants of the Bandung Conference. Ceylon has made fruitful efforts in preserving and developing the Bandung Spirit. In order to promote a peaceful settlement of the Sino-Indian boundary question, Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike initiated the Colombo Conference of six Asian-African countries and personally paid a visit to China and India. We admire Madame Bandaranaike for her spirit of working for the preservation of Asian-African solidarity and the promotion of Sino-Indian reconciliation. Ceylon is playing a daily enhancing role in international affairs and occupying a more and more important position in the international arena, precisely because the Ceylonese Government has pursued a genuine policy of peace, neutrality and non-alignment. Facts prove that nations, big or small, can play an important positive role in international affairs so long as they uphold independence and justice. The Chinese Government and people fully respect and firmly support the policy of peace and neutrality pursued by the Ceylonese Government. We resolutely oppose any big-nation chauvinist attitude of discriminating against or looking down upon small nations.

Like the Ceylonese people, the Chinese people had suffered under the aggression and oppression of imperialism and colonialism. Through their protracted struggle for national liberation, the Chinese people found a revolutionary path which suits their actual conditions. In the course of its revolutionary practice, the Chinese Communist Party formed its correct leadership headed by Chairman Mao Tse-tung and built up an army of the people. By relying closely on the worker-peasant alliance, it united workers, peasants, petty bourgeoisie, patriotic intellectuals and patriotic national bourgeoisie, who account for more than 90% of the entire population, and all other forces that could be united to form the broadest possible united front against imperialism and its agents so as to isolate the enemies to the fullest extent and wage resolute struggles against them. In this way, complete victory had been won in the national democratic revolution.

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Throughout the period of national democratic revolution, the Chinese working class held aloft the banner of opposing imperialism and striving for national liberation and stood in the forefront of the national democratic revolutionary struggles. While carrying on day-to-day struggles for their own economic and political rights, the Chinese working class understood full well that the interests of the working class were at one with the interests of the entire nation, and that it was possible to bring about a fundamental change in the plight of the working class and other laboring people only after complete victory for national liberation had been won. It was precisely because the Chinese working class had all along held aloft the banner of national liberation, mobilized and united the broad masses of people throughout the country that they were able to lead the national democratic revolution of China to complete victory.

After the liberation, the Chinese people continued to push ahead the revolution to the stage of socialist revolution, while actively carrying out socialist construction at the same time. Through the practice of their construction work, the Chinese people became increasingly aware that only by persevering in the policy of self-reliance and the policy of taking agriculture as the foundation and industry as the leading factor, was it possible to build up an independent national economy and raise step by step the living standard of the working class and the entire working people on the basis of the normal development of industrial and agricultural production. Imperialist blockade and trouble-making have not frightened the Chinese people into submission, but have instead strengthened the Chinese people's confidence and determination to rely on their own efforts. In the final analysis, one should rely on the strength of one's own people in carrying out national construction. The strength of one's own is, after all, the most reliable. The Chinese people are now closely united around Chinese Communist Party and Chairman Mao Tse-tung, striving to build China into a socialist country with modern agriculture, modern industry, modern national defence and modern science and technology.

Profound friendship has existed between the people of China and Ceylon since ancient times. Cultural exchanges and trade contacts between our two peoples started as early as the dawn of history. In modern times, our two peoples have always sympathized with and supported each other in their struggles against imperialism and colonialism. After China and Ceylon won victories respectively, our traditional friendship has greatly developed on a new basis. Our two countries have jointly affirmed the Five Principles of Peaceful Co-existence and the Ten Principles of the Bandung Conference as the principles guiding the relations between the two countries. Our economic and cultural contacts are daily broadening and friendly exchanges between our two Governments and peoples have become ever more frequent. In international affairs, China and Ceylon have also worked in good cooperation. The Government and people of Ceylon have always stood for the restoration of China's legitimate rights in the United Nations and opposed the imperialist plot to create "two Chinas". On

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behalf of the Chinese Government and people, I would like to take this opportunity to express once again our hearty thanks to the Government and people of Ceylon for their just stand.

An important aspect in the relations of friendly cooperation between China and Ceylon is the continuous development of economic and trade relations between the two countries. Ceylon is the first Asian country to conclude a long-term trade agreement with China. The Government of Ceylon took the lead to break through the imperialist "embargo" against new China and enter into rice-rubber trade with our country. Our two countries have also concluded an agreement on economic and technical cooperation, an agreement on air traffic and an agreement on maritime transport. The economic and trade relations between China and Ceylon were established in the course of struggles against imperialism. These relations are a brilliant example of mutual assistance and cooperation among Asian-African countries on the basis of equality and mutual benefit. The relations of friendly cooperation between China and Ceylon not only conform to the fundamental interests of our two peoples but are also important to the promotion of Asian-African solidarity and the defence of peace in Asia and the world. We are sure that with the joint efforts of our two countries and friendship between China and Ceylon will be continuously strengthened and developed.

Dear friends! Since my first visit to your country seven years ago, tremendous changes have taken place in the situation in Asia. The political consciousness of the Asian people has constantly risen; their solidarity is being continuously strengthened. The national democratic revolutionary movement of the Asian people is surging forward in ever broader scope and with greater intensity, dealing increasingly heavy blows to imperialism and old and new colonialism.

Over the past seven years, in the vast regions of Asia occupied and controlled by foreign powers, the people of various countries have vigorously unfolded great struggles against imperialism and its lackeys. From Japan to Turkey, and from South Korea to South Viet-Nam, the earth beneath the feet of the U.S. occupationists is constantly being shaken, and its puppets have collapsed one after the other. Facts have proved that foreign military occupation cannot arrest the struggles of the Asian peoples for independence and freedom, and that the change of lackeys cannot save the imperialist policy of aggression from utter bankruptcy. To serve as the puppet of foreign powers will never have a good ending. The imperialists' entire position of aggression in Asia has been shaken to its foundations.

Over the past seven years, the people of many Asian countries have won brilliant victories in their revolutionary armed struggles against the anti-revolutionary armed suppression carried out by old and new colonialism.

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The inhuman "special warfare" launched by the U.S. in south Vietnam cannot prevent the patriotic armed forces of the South Vietnamese people from winning victories one after another. The repeated instigation of civil wars in Laos by the United States cannot stop the Laotian people from taking the road of independence, peace and neutrality. The armed suppression being carried out by the colonialists against the people of North Kalimantan cannot extinguish the torch of independence and freedom held high by the people there. Facts have proved that the armed suppression by old and new colonialism serves only to accelerate the enhancement of the political consciousness of the people and hasten the growth of the forces of the people.

Over the past seven years, in order to consolidate their national independence and uphold their state sovereignty, the new-emerging countries in Asia have waged repeated struggles against imperialism and old and new colonialism, and won important victories. The Royal Government of Cambodia with Prince Norodom Sihanouk at its head and the Cambodian people have earned the wide sympathy and support of the people of Asia and the world in their adherence to the road of independent development, persistence in the policy of peace, neutrality and non-alignment and opposition to the interference and subversive activities of the United States and its followers. Facts have proved that no force on earth can prevent the new-emerging countries in Asia from advancing victoriously along an independent path, as it represents the unshakable will of the peoples of Asia.

Over the past seven years, the people of the new-emerging Asian countries have broken through one obstacle after another raised by imperialism and old and new colonialism, successfully resisted their pressures, and achieved marked successes in developing their national economies and building up their respective countries. The people of these countries have made fruitful efforts in eliminating colonial forces, nationalizing foreign enterprises and developing their national industry and agriculture. We are convinced that by relying on the hard work of their own people and fully utilizing their rich domestic resources, and by entering into mutual assistance and cooperation with friendly countries on the basis of equality and mutual benefit, the new-emerging countries of Asia are fully capable of eradicating the state of poverty and backwardness left over by colonialism and gradually making their countries prosperous and strong.

Of course, the imperialists and old and new colonialists will never withdraw from Asia of their own accord. They are redoubling their efforts to arrest the development of the national democratic revolutionary movement in Asia and to put the Asian countries once again under their control and enslavement by means of colonial war, military threats, political subversion,

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economic infiltration and cultural erosion, etc. The United States is stepping up its "special warfare" against the people of South Vietnam. The U.S. Seventh Fleet is preparing to enter the Indian Ocean to further jeopardize peace and security in this region. By pursuing these policies in Asia, U.S. imperialism is only landing itself in ever tighter encirclement of the Asian peoples and hastening the advent of its final expulsion from Asia.

In order to oppose imperialism and old and new colonialism, Asian countries have every reason to strengthen their solidarity and cooperation and support each other. It is entirely possible to settle the disputes left over by history among Asian countries fairly and reasonably through peaceful consultation on the basis of equality, mutual respect, mutual understanding and mutual accommodation. China has already settled peacefully her boundary questions with such neighbouring countries as Burma, Nepal, Pakistan and Afghanistan. We also consistently stand for the peaceful settlement of the Sino-Indian boundary question and have made untiring efforts in this direction. China was reluctant to see the occurrence of armed conflict along the Sino-Indian border. Thanks to the measures taken by China on her own initiative and the efforts made by the Colombo Conference nations for reconciliation, the situation along the Sino-Indian border has now relaxed. We believe that the Sino-Indian boundary question will sooner or later be settled peacefully, and that the great friendship between the Chinese and Indian peoples will be maintained and developed.

Dear friends! We have just concluded our visit to ten independent African countries. We saw with our eyes that the African people who have stood up are enthusiastic, courageous and full of vigor, daring to act as the masters of their own house and heroically fighting all kinds of enemies. They are now managing the affairs of their own countries and engaged in national reconstruction with full confidence in themselves, opposing the aggression and interference of imperialism and old and new colonialism and continuing to carry forward the national democratic revolution. Those African peoples who still remain under colonial rule are waging heroic struggles to shatter the colonial shackles and win national independence. The morning sun of freedom is dawning before them. The Africa of today is no longer the Africa of the late 19th century, nor the Africa of the early 20th century, but an awakened, fighting and advanced continent. On this beautiful land in south Asia, I would like once again to pay brotherly tribute to the African people on the other side of the ocean.

Since the first Asian-African Conference held in 1955, the Bandung spirit has gone deep into the hearts of the people and there has been tremendous development in the Asian-African countries' cause of unity against

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imperialism. Now, it is acknowledged by the leaders of a good number of Asian-African countries that the time is ripe for the convening of a second Asian-African Conference and that active preparations should be undertaken for this purpose. We believe that the holding of such a conference will certainly make important contributions to the further strengthening of the Asian-African countries' cause of unity against imperialism, the promotion of economic cooperation between Asian-African countries and the defence of world peace. As for the second conference of non-aligned countries, the scope of its participants differs from that of the second Asian-African Conference. However, we also hope that it will make useful contributions to the cause of opposing imperialism and old and new colonialism, winning and safeguarding national independence and defending world peace.

Today, alongside the great struggle of the Asian-African peoples, the flame of national democratic revolution is also raging in Latin America, one in support of the other. Holding aloft the revolutionary banner of the Havana Declaration and towering in the Caribbean as firm as a rock, the Cuban people fear no threats and fall for no tricks; they have time and again smashed the imperialist acts of aggression and intervention. The hardships and bitterness suffered by the Panamanian people for the last sixty years have now turned into an angry force against foreign occupationists. Mass struggles of all forms against U.S. imperialism and its lackeys have swept the vast land in Latin America. The Chinese people will forever stand on the side of the Cuban people, the Panamanian people and the people of all the Latin American countries. We firmly believe that the Cuban people will certainly continue to march forward victoriously along the road of revolution, that the Panama Canal will eventually return to the hands of the Panamanian people and that the Latin American peoples will assuredly win final victory in their revolutionary struggles.

The Asian, African and Latin American peoples who have been subjected to untold sufferings of enslavement, oppression and exploitation for the past few centuries are now standing up one after another and are carrying on earth-shaking struggles; they are determined to take their destiny into their own hands. This is a great event of contemporary history. Asia, Africa and Latin America are at present the storm centers of revolution dealing direct blows at imperialism. The two thousand million people of these three continents, heroically standing at the forefront of the struggle against imperialism, have become a mighty force in our times, which weakens and contains the imperialist forces of war, defends world peace and promotes human progress. No amount of schemes and plots on the part of the imperialists and their followers can check the victorious development of the national democratic revolutionary movements in Asia, Africa and Latin America. Any-one who slights or opposes this great historical current will in the end be punished by history.

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Dear friends! The present international situation is favourable to the struggle of the people of various countries to win and safeguard national independence and to the world people's cause of defending world peace, but unfavourable to the imperialist policies of aggression and war. So long as all the peace-loving forces in the world, including the forces of the socialist camp, the forces of the national-democratic revolutionary movements in Asia, Africa and Latin America, the forces of the working class and the revolutionary people in the world and the forces of all peace-loving countries and peoples unite and resolutely oppose the imperialist policies of aggression and war, a new world war can be prevented and world peace can be preserved. The future of mankind is bright. The 650 million Chinese people will forever stand on the side of the Ceylonese people, the Asian, African and Latin American peoples and the peoples of all continents in the world; they will support each other and fight shoulder to shoulder in the struggle against imperialism and old and new colonialism and for the defence of world peace and the promotion of human progress.

Long live the friendship between China and Ceylon!

Long live Asian-African solidarity!

Long live world peace!

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PRESS REACTION TO CHOU VISIT.

1. PAK PRESS COVERAGE OF CHOU VISIT EXTENSIVE AND GENERALLY FAVORABLE THROUGHOUT, WITH ESPECIALLY FAVORABLE PLAY GIVEN MENTION OF KASHMIR IN AYUB-CHOU COMMUNIQUE AND BY CHOU IN SPEECH TO WEST PAK ASSEMBLY. EDITORIAL REACTION ALSO HIGHLY FAVORABLE, ALTHOUGH GENERALLY RESTRAINED IN TONE, AND AGAIN WITH STRESS ON COMMUNIQUE REFERENCE TO "WISHES OF PEOPLE OF KASHMIR" (INTERPRETED BY PRESS AS EQUIVALENT TO "SELF DETERMINATION" AND SUPPORT FOR PLEBISCITE).
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MANY PAPERS CRITICIZED US CHINA POLICY AND SEVERAL TOOK OPPORTUNITY TO PRAISE AYUB FOR HIS STATEMANSHIP.

2. APPEARS SOME OPPOSITION PAPERS SLIGHTLY PLAYED DOWN VISIT, POSSIBLY TO AVOID SEEMING TO ENDORSE AYUB POLICIES. PAK OBSERVER OF Dacca MORE MODERATE THAN PRO-REGIME MORNING NEWS, FOR EXAMPLE, AND OLD SUHRAWARDY PAPER. ITTEFAQ WITHHELD COMMENT DURING VISIT, ACCORDING TO CONGEN Dacca. ALSO, PESHAWAR REPORTS THAT SMALL, ENGLISH LANGUAGE KHYBER MAIL FAILED TO RUN EDITORIAL WELCOMING CHOU AND IN FEB 26 EDITION HINTED NEED FOR THOROUGH REVIEW BEFORE MOVING TO CHICOM SIDE.

3. NOT SURPRISINGLY DAWN ESPECIALLY WARM IN WELCOME TO CHOU AND EFFUSIVE IN FAREWELL EDITORIAL, CONCLUDING THAT FUTURE HISTORIANS WOULD "ENSHRINE IN GOLDEN LETTERS" NAMES OF AYUB AND CHOU AMONG THOSE USHERING IN "NEW ERA OF HUMAN PROGRESS ON BASIS OF MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN PEOPLES DIFFERING IN WAYS OF LIFE". EARLIER DAWN WARNED US WOULD ACT

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"CONTRARY TO INTEREST OF ALL MANKIND" IF CONTINUED ARMING AND ENCOURAGING INDIA TO ADOPT ATTITUDE OF "BIG POWER CHAUVINISM" AND SAID COMMUNIQUE "LAID ONUS FOR PEACE OR WAR" ON US AND INDIA. DAWN COMMENTED THAT IT COULD NOT RECALL CFN 2 26 3

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"ANY OTHER VISITING HEAD OF GOVERNMENT BEING AS FORTHRIGHT IN RECOGNITION OF KASHMIRI PEOPLE'S RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AS CHINESE PM" AND SAID CHOU HAD THEREBY "MADE CO-EXISTENCE MEANINGFUL".

4. BOTH MORNING NEWS AND PAK TIMES THOUGHT VISIT HAD STRENGTHENED SINO-PAK RELATIONS AND HAILED CHICOM KASHMIR STAND. MORNING NEWS SAID "WESTERN FRIENDS WHO ARE AFRAID OF SO-CALLED CHINESE POLICY OF EXPANSIONISM" SHOULD ACCEPT AS GENUINE CHOU'S PROFESSION OF PEACEFUL INTENTIONS, AND CONCLUDED WITH PLEA OF CHICOMS MEMBERSHIP. PAK TIMES CRITICIZED "SINOPHOBIA" OF US LEADERS AND ENDORSED AYUB'S IDEA OF PAKS AS MEDIATORS BETWEEN US AND CHICOMS. PAK TIMES CREDITED AYUB WITH "GIVING PAKISTAN NEW SENSE OF DIGNITY AND NEW POSITION OF PRESTIGE IN COMITY OF NATIONS" AND SAID AYUB-CHOU COMMUNIQUE "LATEST FRUIT OF PRESIDENT'S BOLD, IMAGINATIVE AND SKILLFULLY BALANCED FOREIGN POLICY".

5. VERNACULAR PRESS GREETED AYUB-CHOU COMMUNIQUE AS "MAJOR LANDMARK" IN PAK-CHICOM RELATIONS AND INVARIABLY WELCOMED CHOU'S "FORTHRIGHT" ENDORSEMENT OF SELF DETERMINATION FOR KASHMIR. FOR EXAMPLE, JANG SAID DECLARATION MARKED BIG CFN 4 5

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STEP FORWARD IN SOLUTION KASHMIR PROBLEM; AZAD (DACC) SAID CHOU'S SHIFT MORE SIGNIFICANT THAN ANY UN SPEECHES, AND IMROZE (LAHORE) SAID COMMUNIQUE LEFT NO ROOM FOR AMBIGUITY ABOUT CHICOM STAND ON KASHMIR. JANG CONGRATULATED GOP ON "NEW FOREIGN POLICY" WHICH INSTRUMENTAL IN WINNING OVER CHICOMS. ANJAM SAID FOREIGN INTERFERENCE LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR TENSIONS IN SE ASIA AND ADVISED US IF IT WOULD LEAVE COUNTRIES ALONE MANY OF DIFFERENCES WOULD SOON BE RESOLVED. OTHERS COMMENTED FAVORABLY ON SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE, POSSIBILITY CHICOM UN MEMBERSHIP, CHOU'S INTEREST LIVING PEACEFULLY WITH US AND INDIA AND COMMUNIQUE STRESS ON PEACE. MCCONAUGHY

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1. PAK PRESS GAVE WIDEPREAD BUT GENERALLY LOW"- KEY COVERAGE
TO CHOUS COLOMBO VISIT. TEXT COMMUNIQUE NOT YET PUBLISHED
HERE, BUT PROMINENCE GIVEN EXPERTS SUCH AS CHOUS / READINESS
CONTINUE SEEK DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH INDIA ON BASIS COLOMBO
PROPOSALS", JOINT SINO-CEYLONESE SUPPORT FOR
"ESTABLISHMENT NUCLEAR FREE ZONES VARIOUS PARTS OF WORLD"
AND AGREEMENT THAT "SECOND NON- ALIGNED CONFERENCE AND SECOND
AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE NOT MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE."
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2. CITING CEYLONS " COLOMBO TIMES" AS SOURCE, PRESS REPORTED
THAT FOLLOWING CABLED CONSULTATION WITH PEKING, CHOU AGREED TO
"COMPROMISE PROPOSAL" WITH CEYLONESE FM BANDARANAIKE WHICH
WOULD ALLOW INDIA TO SET UP POSTS IN DEMILITARIZED ZONE
BETWEEN CHINESE AND INDIAN FORCES IN LADAKH.

3. PRESS ALSO FEATURED AFP REPORT OF CHOUS SPEECH TO CEYLONESE
"WORKERS RALLY" IN WHICH HE SUPPORTED CONVENING OF 2ND BANDUG
CONFERENCE, ASSERTED SINO- INDIAN DISPUTE " COULD AND SHOULD BE
SETTLED PEACEFULLY" AND EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR ROLE OF COLOMBO
POWERS IN ATTEMPTING SETTLE DISPUTE. MCCONAUGHY
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1. IN CONVERSATIONS HERE WITH VARIOUS DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS, THEIR GENERAL IMPRESSION IS OF MODERATE HANDLING OF VISIT BY PAKS AND OF CHICOMS MAKING SOME GAINS, PARTICULARLY WITH PUBLIC, AS NATURAL RESULT SUPPORT GIVEN PAKISTAN ON KASHMIR ISSUE.

2. OF SOME INTEREST ARE FOLLOWING COMMENTS BY YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR TO AUSTRALIAN HICOM: YUGOSLAV AMBASSADOR WAS NOT SURPRISED AT GENERALLY MILD TONE AND CONTENT OF COMMUNIQUE HAVING REGARD TO REALITIES OF SITUATION E.G. PRO-WESTERN ORIENTATION OF PAKISTAN'S LEADERS AND THEIR NATURAL RELUCTANCE OF OFFENDERS. HE HAD, HOWEVER, EXPECTED THAT COMMUNIQUE WOULD CONTAIN STRONGER AND MORE DIRECT ATTACK ON INDIA. HE OBSERVED THAT THERE WAS NO NOTE OF URGENCY IN REFERENCE TO HOLDING OF SECOND BANDUNG CONFERENCE; THIS, HE THOUGHT, REFLECTED CHOU EN-LAI'S APPRECIATION THAT THERE WAS NOT YET SUFFICIENT AFRO-ASIAN SUPPORT FOR SECOND BANDUNG CONFERENCE AT AN EARLY DATE. HE ALSO NOTED THAT COMMUNIQUE MADE NO REFERENCE TO PROSPECT LATERAL AGREEMENTS OR ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND CHINA E.G. EXTENSION OF CREDITS, TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE. HE SUGGESTED THAT REASON FOR THIS WAS THAT ON PRACTICAL GROUNDS PAKISTANI BUSINESSMEN WERE NOT INTERESTED IN CHINESE INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT AND THAT FOR POLITICAL REASONS

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GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN DID NOT WANT CHINESE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE. AMB THOUGHT CHINA'S PRINCIPAL POLITICAL OBJECTIVE AT THIS TIME WAS TO PRESENT PEACEFUL IMAGE IN AFRO-ASIAN CIRCLES AND THAT FRIENDLY VISIT TO PAKISTAN--ONE OF LARGE AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRIES--WOULD HELP TO IMPROVE IMAGE."

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FOLLOWING IS FULL TEXT (NON-ESSENTIAL WORDS OMITTED) OF JOINT COMMUNIQUE SIGNED BY PRIME MINISTERS CHOU EN-LAI AND SIRIMAVO BANDARANAIKE, 10:15 P.M. (LOCAL TIME) FEBRUARY 29, AT CONCLUSION CHOU EN-LAI VISIT TO CEYLON:

BEGIN TEXT

AT INVITATION OF PRIME MINISTER OF CEYLON, SIRIMAVO R.D. BANDARANAIKE, HER EXCELLENCY MADAME SOONG CHING LING, VICE-CHAIRMAN OF PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, AND HIS EXCELLENCY CHOU EN-LAI, PREMIER OF STATE COUNCIL OF PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, PAID OFFICIAL VISIT TO CEYLON FROM FEBRUARY 26 TO 29, 1964.

2. THEY WERE ACCOMPANIED BY MARSHAL CHEN YI, VICE-PREMIER OF STATE COUNCIL AND MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, AND HIGH RANKING OFFICIALS.

3. THE DISTINGUISHED VISITORS RECEIVED WARM AND ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME, EXPRESSIVE OF FEELINGS OF DEEP FRIENDSHIP WHICH PEOPLE OF CEYLON HAVE FOR CHINESE PEOPLE AND THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.

4. IN COURSE OF VISIT, PREMIER OF STATE COUNCIL OF PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA HAD MEETINGS AND CONVERSATIONS WITH PRIME MINISTER OF CEYLON. TAKING PART IN THESE TALKS ON CHINESE SIDE WERE: MARSHAL CHEN YI, VICE-PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER; KUNG YUAN, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF OFFICE IN CHARGE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS,

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STATE COUNCIL; HUANG CHEN, VICE-MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS; TUNG HSIAO-PENG, CHIEF OF SECRETARIAT OF PREMIER OF STATE COUNCIL; AND HIGH OFFICIALS OF CHINESE GOVERNMENT. ON CEYLON SIDE WERE: C.P. DE SILVA, MINISTER OF LANDS, IRRIGATION & POWER; T. B. ILANGARATNE, MINISTER OF FINANCE; MAITHRIPALA SENANAYAKE, MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRIES; FELIX R. DIAS BANDARANAIKE, MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND CO-OPERATIVES AND PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO MINISTER OF DEFENSE AND EXTERNAL AFFAIRS; AND HIGH OFFICIALS OF GOVERNMENT OF CEYLON.

5. TALKS WERE HELD IN ATMOSPHERE OF CORDIALITY AND FRIENDSHIP WHICH CHARACTERIZE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. TWO PARTIES EXCHANGED OPINIONS ON WIDE RANGE OF INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS OF COMMON INTEREST AS WELL AS ON PROBLEMS RELATING TO FURTHER STRENGTHENING AND DEVELOPMENT OF SINO-CEYLONESE RELATIONS.

6. TWO PRIME MINISTERS NOTED WITH DEEP SATISFACTION EMERGENCE INTO FREEDOM AND NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE OF MANY COUNTRIES IN ASIA AND AFRICA. THEY EXPRESSED FIRM OPPOSITION TO COLONIALISM IN ALL FORMS AND MANIFESTATIONS AND HOPED ITS LAST VESTIGES WOULD SOON BE ERADICATED.

TWO LEADERS AGREED THAT NATIONAL GOVERNMENTS OF COUNTRIES THAT HAVE NEWLY WON NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE SHOULD BE HELPED IN THEIR ENDEAVOURS TO ATTAIN FULL ECONOMIC INDEPENDENCE AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE. THEY WERE OF VIEW THAT AID SO GIVEN WITHOUT ANY POLITICAL CONDITIONS OR PRIVILEGES, AND ON BASIS OF EQUALITY AND MUTUAL BENEFIT, RESPECT FOR SOVEREIGNTY OF RECIPIENT COUNTRIES AND NON-INTERFERENCE IN THEIR INTERNAL AFFAIRS, WOULD HELP STRENGTHEN THEIR NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND SERVE CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY.

7. PRIME MINISTER OF CEYLON AND CHINA CONSIDERED DISARMAMENT IS AN IMPORTANT PROBLEM OF OUR TIME. THEY EXPRESSED DETERMINATION TO STRIVE, IN CO-OPERATION WITH OTHER NATIONS, FOR GENERAL DISARMAMENT AND FOR COMPLETE PROHIBITION AND DESTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

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8. PRIME MINISTER OF CEYLON DECLARED HER GOVERNMENT'S CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR RESTORATION TO PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA OF LEGITIMATE RIGHTS IN UNITED NATIONS. ALSO RE-AFFIRMED CEYLON'S VIEW THAT TAIWAN IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF CHINA. CHINESE PRIME MINISTER EXPRESSED HIS APPRECIATION OF CEYLON'S STAND.

9. TWO LEADERS SUPPORTED ESTABLISHMENT OF NUCLEAR FREE ZONES IN VARIOUS PARTS OF WORLD AND HELD THAT NUCLEAR POWERS SHOULD UNDERTAKE DUE OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS SUCH ZONES. IN THIS CONNECTION, CHINESE PRIME MINISTER COMMENDED INITIATIVE TAKEN BY CEYLON PRIME MINISTER TO REFUSE ENTRY INTO CEYLON'S TERRITORIAL WATERS, PORTS OR AIR-FIELDS OF SHIPS AND AIRCRAFT CARRYING NUCLEAR WEAPONS OR EQUIPPED FOR NUCLEAR WARFARE. THEY EXPRESSED HOPE THAT OTHER STATES WOULD TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION ON THESE LINES.

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10. CEYLON PRIME MINISTER EXPLAINED TO CHINESE PRIME MINISTER CEYLON'S ACTIVE INTEREST IN HOLDING SECOND NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE. BOTH PRIME MINISTERS HOPED SECOND NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO CAUSE OF OPPOSING IMPERIALISM AND COLONIALISM, OF SUPPORTING NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENT AND SAFEGUARDING WORLD PEACE.

TWO PRIME MINISTERS NOTED THAT SINCE FIRST AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE HELD IN BANDUNG IN 1955 MORE THAN 30 NEW NATIONS IN ASIA AND AFRICA HAD ATTAINED FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE, AND THAT CAUSE OF AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY HAD BEEN GREATLY ADVANCED. CHINESE PRIME MINISTER WAS OF OPINION THAT TIME WAS RIGHT FOR CONVENING SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE AND THAT ACTIVE PREPARATIONS SHOULD BE MADE FOR THAT PURPOSE. CEYLON PRIME MINISTER AGREED SUCH CONFERENCE WOULD SERVE USEFUL PURPOSE AND INDICATED CEYLON WOULD PARTICIPATE IN SUCH CONFERENCE.

TWO PRIME MINISTERS ALSO AGREED SECOND NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE AND SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE NOT MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE.

1. TWO PRIME MINISTERS NOTED WITH SATISFACTION SITUATION ALONG SINO-INDIAN BORDER HAS EASED. CHINESE PREMIER EXPRESSED THANKS TO CEYLON AND OTHER COLOMBO CONFERENCE NATIONS FOR EFFORTS OF MEDIATION BETWEEN CHINA AND INDIA, AND EXPRESSED READINESS TO CONTINUE TO SEEK DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS WITH INDIA ON BASIS OF COLOMBO PROPOSALS FOR PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF SINO-INDIAN BOUNDARY QUESTION. CEYLON PRIME MINISTER INDICATED THAT, TOGETHER WITH

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OTHER COLOMBO CONFERENCE NATIONS, CEYLON WOULD CONINUE EFFORTS PROMOTE SINO-INDIAN RECONCILIATION.

12. TWO PRIME MINISTERS EXPRESSED GREAT SATISFACTION THAT FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN CEYLON AND CHINA HAVE CONTINUED TO GROW. THEY CONSIDERED IT DEMONSTRATION OF FACT THAT COUNTRIES WITH DIFFERENT POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS CAN LIVE TOGETHER IN PEACE AND HARMONY AND CO-OPERATE FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT ON BASIS OF FIVE PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND TEN PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG.

13. TRADE RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES WERE REVIEWED AND TWO LEADERS AGREED THAT TRADE BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES WHICH HAD BEEN BASED ON PRINCIPLES OF EQUALITY AND MUTUAL BENEFIT HAD EXPANDED SATISFACTORILY OVER LAST TEN YEARS. THEY RECOGNIZED DESIRABILITY OF FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF TRADE BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES IN NEW FIELDS, PARTICULARLY OF PROCESSED AND SEMI-PROCESSED MATERIALS TO PROMOTE GROWTH OF INDUSTRIALIZATION.

14. TWO DELEGATIONS ALSO REVIEWED PRESENT POSITION WITH REGARD TO ECONOMIC AID. THEY DISCUSSED AND DECIDED UPON NEW ITEMS OF ECONOMIC AID BY CHINA TO CEYLON INCLUDING ASSISTANCE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE HALL AND RELATED BUILDINGS AND FOR SUPPLY OF TEXTILES AND RICE. CEYLON PRIME MINISTER THANKED CHINESE PRIME MINISTER FOR THESE GENEROUS OFFERS OF ASSISTANCE.

15. BOTH PARTIES STRESSED VALUE OF PERSONAL CONTACTS BETWEEN LEADERS OF TWO COUNTRIES IN CONTRIBUTING TOWARDS STRENGTHENING OF FRIENDSHIP AND UNITY BETWEEN CEYLON AND CHINA. VISIT OF VICE-CHAIRMAN SOONG CHING LING, PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI AND OTHER DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS OF CHINESE DELEGATION HELPED BRING TWO COUNTRIES AND PEOPLES CLOSER TOGETHER.

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NO HARD INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON TALKS BETWEEN MRS. BANDARANAIKE AND CHOU EN-LAI TO DATE. TIMES GROUP DAILIES REPORTED THAT FIRST ROUND FEBRUARY 27 SHE ASKED CHOU EN-LAI TO WITHDRAW FROM SEVEN POSTS IN LADAKH AREA AS A GESTURE TO EASE TENSION ON BORDER ISSUE AND SERVE LARGER INTERESTS OF AFRO-ASIAN SOLIDARITY. CHOU REPORTEDLY ANSWERED THIS WOULD BE POLICY DECISION WHICH HE WOULD HAVE TO REFER TO HIS GOVERNMENT.

DURING CALL BY NEW BURMESE AMBASSADOR FEBRUARY 28 AMERICAN AMBASSADOR INQUIRED IF NE WIN'S RECENTLY REPORTED VISIT TO INDIA WAS CONNECTED WITH EFFORTS EASE SINO-INDIAN TENSION. BURMESE AMBASSADOR ANSWERED THAT NE WIN'S VISIT TO INDIA WAS "MERELY A COURTESY TO NEHRU" AND PURPOSE WAS TO ASSURE HIM THAT THERE WAS "NOTHING DIRECTED AGAINST INDIA" IN THE CONVERSATIONS WITH CHOU. AMBASSADOR ADDED "BURMA WANTS FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH BOTH BIG NEIGHBORS."

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ACCORDING TO PRESS IN SECOND ROUND CHOU-BANDARANAIKE TALKS, FEBRUARY 28: (1) CHINESE REPEATED EARLIER ALLEGED OFFER OF GIFT OF 30,000 TONS OF RICE; (2) RS. 125 MILLION CREDIT LINE PREVIOUSLY EXTENDED BY CHINA REVIEWED AND GOC EXPRESSED VIEW THAT CREDIT WOULD BE FULLY USED BY 1967; (3) POSSIBLE ENLARGEMENT OF LIST OF CFN 497 15 93 29 1 494 28 30,000 125 1967

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COMMODITIES CHINA COULD BUY FROM CEYLON UNDER SINO-CEYLONESE TRADE PACT WAS RAISED AS WAS POSSIBILITY OF CHINESE PURCHASES CREPE RUNNER IN ADDITION TO SHEET; (4) DECISION WAS DEFERRED ON DETAILS OF PROPOSAL FOR CHINA TO SUPPLY CEYLON WITH SUSTAINED CEMENT DELIVERIES ON LONG-TERM CREDIT OR DEFERRED PAYMENT; (5) CHINA EXPRESSED WILLINGNESS FURNISH CEYLON WITH MORE RAIL COACHES; (6) CHINESE AGREED TO CONSIDER REQUEST FOR LIGHT TRACTORS. POSSIBILITY OF CHINESE GOVERNMENT FINANCING FOR INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE HALL AND NATIONAL THEATER FOR CEYLON ALSO MENTIONED BY ONE PAPER.

IN ADDITION TWO PRIME MINISTERS REPORTEDLY CLARIFIED THEIR RESPECTIVE VIEWS ON LIMITED TEST BAN TREATY AND AGREED THAT AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE AND NON ALIGNED CONFERENCE WERE NOT MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE.

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE MORNING NEWSPAPERS ALSO GAVE PROMINENCE TO REPORT OF SINGING IN PEIPING FEBRUARY 28 OF CONTRACTS FOR 20 MILLION RUPEES WORTH OF COTTON AND TEXTILES, AND CONFUSED STORY BY INDICATING CHOU LIKELY TO MAKE SAME AMOUNT OF TEXTILES AVAILABLE FREE. CEYLON OBSERVER REPORTED CEYLONese DELEGATION FOUND CHINESE "MORE THAN COOPERATIVE" WITH REGARD TO ECONOMIC AID AND TRADE WITH CEYLON.
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RADIO AND/OR PRESS REPORTED CHOU MADE FOLLOWING POINTS AT RALLY SPONSORED BY GOVERNMENT PARTY TRADE UNIONS LATE AFTERNOON FEBRUARY 28 (CONFIRMED IN SUBSTANCE BY LOCAL EMBASSY EMPLOYEE):
(1) "SINO-INDIAN BORDER DISPUTE WOULD AND SHOULD BE SETTLED PEACEFULLY AND OUR GREAT FRIENDSHIP WITH INDIA RE-ESTABLISHED. WE WILL AT NO COST ALLOW IMPERIALISTS OR NEO-COLONIALISTS TO STEP INTO THE SITUATION AND EXPLOIT IT"; (2) COMMUNIST CHINA APPROVES OF GOC POLICY DENY ACCESS TO CEYLONese PORTS AND AIRFIELDS OF SHIPS AND AIRPLANES EQUIPPED FOR NUCLEAR WARFARE. AFTERNOON PRESS FEBRUARY 29 ALSO REPORTED CHOU MADE FOLLOWING POINTS AT LABOR UNION RALLY: (1) BY PURSUING AGGRESSIVE POLICIES IN ASIA "US IMPERIALISM IS ONLY LANDING ITSELF IN EVER TIGHTER ENCIRCLEMENT OF THE ASIAN PEOPLES AND HASTENING THE ADVENT OF ITS FINAL EXPULSION FROM ASIA"; (2) "MASS STRUGGLES OF ALL FORMS AGAINST US IMPERIALISM AND ITS LACKEYS HAVE SWEEPED VAST LANDS IN LATIN AMERICA. CHINESE PEOPLE WILL FOREVER STAND ON SIDE OF THE CUBAN PEOPLE, THE PANAMANIAN PEOPLE AND THE PEOPLE OF ALL THE LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES"; (3) PRESENT INTERNATIONAL SITUATION FAVORS PEOPLES STRUGGLE TO WIN AND SAFEGUARD NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE AND TO DEFEND PEACE, BUT IS UNFAVORABLE TO IMPERIALIST POLICIES OF AGGRESSION AND WAR.

AMERICAN PRESS CORRESPONDENTS, WHO EXPECTED JOINT COMMUNIQUE TO BE ISSUED MORNING FEBRUARY 29, NOW HOPE FOR RELEASE MID-AFTERNOON. WILLIS

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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

1. FOLLOWING IS REPORT FROM DACCA ON FINAL PHASE CHOU VISIT:
"FEB 25, CHOU SPENT MORNING CRUISING ON GOVERNOR'S YACHT,
GOT MODERATELY ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION FROM NARAYANGANJ
MILL WORKERS ON RIVER BANK. PRESS REPORTED WHILE CHOU AND
GOEP GOVERNOR DISCUSSED AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS, FONMINS
CHEN YI AND BHUTTO HAD CONFAB. CHOU HONORED IN AFTERNOON AT
CIVIC RECEPTION ATTENDED BY 4,000 INVITEES WHERE HE
HEARD WELCOME ADDRESS, GAVE SPEECH.
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"EVENING, NA SPEAKER F.Q. CHOWDHURY HOSTED BANQUET CHOU'S
HONOR SHAHBAGH HOTEL WHERE LATER MADE FORMAL FAREWELL ADDRESS.
ESTIMATED 600 GUESTS THOUGHT BY FOREIGN OBSERVERS MORE
ENTHUSIASTIC THAN PREVIOUS CHOU AUDIENCES HERE. THEY ROUNDLY
APPLAUDED CHOWDHURY REFERENCE CHINA "TAKING RIGHTFUL
PLACE IN UN" AND SOME OF CHOU'S COMMENTS. VISIT CONCLUDED
WITH CULTURAL SHOW.

"CHOU'S TAKE OFF MORNING OF 26 FEATURED BY UNANNOUNCED
APPEARANCE MADAME SUN YET SEN TO JOIN HIS PARTY FOR CEYLON
VISIT. GOP OFFICIAL STATED ONLY 48 HOUR NOTICE OF HER
ARRIVAL GIVEN. THEY SEEN OFF BY GOVERNOR, FONMIN BHUTTO,
NA SPEAKER CHOWDHURY.

"CHOU'S FORMAL UTTERANCES DURING VISIT. BLANDLY PRO FORMA.

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HE RESERVED FIREWORKS FOR UNSCHEDULED PRESS CONFERENCE AND HIS REPLIES WRITTEN QUESTIONS APP'S QURESHI WHICH RELEASED HERE FOR PAPERS OF FEB 26. IN THESE HE MOUNTED VICIOUS ATTACK ON US.
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"PUBLIC REACTION MAINLY CURIOSITY. VISIT PROBABLY MODERATELY ENHANCED POPULARITY BUT OBSERVERS HERE SKEPTICAL IT WILL HAVE SIGNIFICANT LONG RANGE EFFECT. US NEWSMAN CLAIMED DRAFT SPEECH TO WEST PAK ASSEMBLY CONTAINED ANTI-US BLASTS WHICH DELETED FROM VOICE TEXT, HE ASSERTED, AT INSISTENCE PAK OFFICIALS. IF TRUE, SUGGESTS POSSIBILITY PAKS INTENDED KEEP VISIT FREE OF PROPAGANDA POLEMICS WITH CHOU EVADING RESTRICTION VIA UNSCHEDULED PRESS CONFERENCE FOR ANTI-US PROPAGANDA BLAST".

2. ON BASIS NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT'S TAPE RECORDING OF CHOU PRESS CONFERENCE, FOLLOWING IS EXTRACT FROM CHOU REPLY TO FINAL QUESTION AT CONFERENCE ON "ASIA FOR ASIANS" WHICH CONTAINED MAJOR ATTACK ON US: "...WE ARE OPPOSED TO IMPERIALIST POLICIES OF WAR AND AGGRESSION WHICH IS MOST VICIOUS AT PRESENT TIME IN US IMPERIALISM. THEY WANT MONOPOLIZE WORLD AND HAVE HEGEMONY OVER WORLD. THEY WANT TO MEDDLE IN EVERYTHING. THEY WANT TO INTERFERE IN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS OF EVERY SINGLE COUNTRY. AS FOR SOCIALIST COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE ALREADY WON VICTORY, THEY WANT TO SEE SO-CALLED LIBERALIZATION OF US.
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THEY WANT TO SUBVERT THESE COUNTRIES, TO CARRY OUT SO-CALLED PEACEFUL TRANSITION; THAT IS TRANSITION FROM SOCIALISM BACK TO CAPITALISM. THEIR HANDS ARE STRETCHING OUT TOO FAR TOO LONG, BUT A MAN'S ARMS ARE ONLY SO LONG. THEY WANT TO SPREAD OUT THEIR ARMS SO LONG AND TO CONTROL AFFAIRS OF, FOR INSTANCE, EVERYONE SEATED HERE. THE RESULT IS THAT THEY WILL MAKE EVERYONE, ALL THESE COUNTRIES, RISE UP AGAINST THEM. THAT IS ONLY FINAL RESULT. IT WILL NOT APPEAR IN ONE DAY. BUT THAT DAY WILL SURELY COME. AND REFERRING TO

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POLICY OF THE GOVT OF US IMPERIALISM, I JUST WANT TO REPEAT WHAT I SAID IN 1955 DURING BANDUNG CONFERENCE, THAT CHINESE PEOPLE ARE WILLING BE FRIENDLY WITH AMERICAN PEOPLE. WE ARE TALKING TO YOU, AND ANSWERING YOUR QUESTIONS."

3. SO FAR AS EMB CAN DETERMINE, VERY LITTLE OF THIS DIATRIBE APPEARED IN PAK PRESS. EMB FURNISHING FULLEST AVAILABLE RECORD OF PRESS CONFERENCE AS PROVIDED EMB BY NY TIMES CORRESPONDENT, NEVARD. GP -3.

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CIA 29 TOLD EMBASSY OFFICER THAT SO FAR AS HE AWARE CHOU EN-LAI
NSA IS NOT REPEAT NOT COMING TO DELHI. RANGANATHAN EXPRESSED
OSD VIEW THAT GOI CANNOT YIELD ON REMAINING POINT OF DIFFERENCE
ARMY BETWEEN DELHI AND PEIPING ON COLOMBO PROPOSALS, NAMELY
NAVY QUESTION OF CHICOM AGREEMENT TO GOI RIGHT TO ESTABLISH PRESENCE
AIR WITHIN DEMILITARIZED ZONE IN LADAKH. RANGANATHAN AGAIN EM-
NIC PHASIZED THAT IT WAS NOT SUFFICIENT FOR CHICOMS MERELY TO
RMR WITHDRAW FROM AREA BUT THAT INDIAN RIGHT TO MOVE IN JOINTLY
OR ALONE, MUST BE ACKNOWLEDGED.
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IN THIS CONNECTION, TIMING OF TABLING IN RAJYA SABHA OF GOI
FEBRUARY 24 NOTE (REPORTED SEPARATELY) PROTESTING CHICOM
BORDER DEMARCATION ACTIVITY IN LADAKH ALMOST CERTAINLY TOOK
INTO CONSIDERATION CHOU - BANDARANAIKE TALKS NOW IN PROGRESS
IN COLOMBO.

RANGANATHAN VOLUNTEERED THAT CHICOM EMBASSY DELHI HAD PAST
WEEK MADE STRANGE REQUEST FOR EMERGENCY LANDING RIGHTS AT
MADRAS FOR CHOU'S CHARTERED AIRCRAFT ON RETURN FROM COLOMBO.
CHICOM REQUEST STATED THAT AIRCRAFT WOULD BE FLYING OVER
HIGH SEAS BUT PERMISSION WAS DESIRED FOR LANDING AT MADRAS
IN EVEN OF EMERGENCY. GOI REPLIED THAT IT WAS NOT CUSTOMARY
TO STAKE OUT STRING OF EMERGENCY LANDING SPOTS. RANGANATHAN
COMMENTED THAT HE QUITE CERTAIN PM NEHRU WOULD NOT REPEAT
NOT RUSH TO MADRAS IF CHOU FORCED TO LAND THERE BECAUSE
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PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI, VICE CHAIRMAN MADAME SOONG CHING-LING, FOREIGN MINISTER CHENG YI AND OVER FIFTY OTHERS ARRIVED IN CEYLON AFTERNOON FEBRUARY 26 FOR THREE AND HALF DAY VISIT.

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ACCORDING TO PRESS LEADERS OF (TAMIL) FEDERAL PARTY, UNITED NATIONAL PARTY AND NATIONALIST MARXIST MEP BOYCOTTED RECEPTION AT AIRPORT. EYEWITNESSES REPORTED CROWDS ALONG WAY FROM AIRPORT FEWER AND LESS ENTHUSIASTIC THAN WHEN CHOU LAST VISITED CEYLON IN 1957.

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AT AIRPORT PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE SAID CEYLON-COMMUNIST CHINA RELATIONS BASED ON PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND RECOGNITION THAT STATES WITH DIFFERING SYSTEMS COULD LIVE TOGETHER PEACEFULLY AND COOPERATE FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT. ACCORDING TO PRESS CHOU ANSWERED BY EXPRESSING ADMIRATION FOR "GLORIOUS TRADITION" OF CEYLONESE IN FIGURING IMPERIALISM.

MANY POSTERS ON WALLS THROUGHOUT CITY. SOME WELCOMED CHOU; SOME ASKED IF HE WOULD TREAT BUDDHISTS IN CEYLON AS HE DID IN TIBET; SOME ASKED IF CEYLON WOULD BECOME VICTIM OF CHINESE IMPERIALISM AFTER HAVING ESCAPED FROM BRITISH IMPERIALISM.

SO FAR, ONLY PUBLICIZED UNTOWARD INCIDENT WAS NARROWLY AVOIDED ACCIDENT AT LEVEL CROSSING WHEN CHOU AND ENTOURAGE ENROUTE COLOMBO TO HORAGOLLA (TWENTY-SIX MILES AWAY) TO LAY WREATH ON TOMB OF S.W.R.D. BANDARANAIKE. CORTEGE ARRIVED ONE HOUR BEHIND SCHEDULE JUST AS CHILAW EXPRESS PASSING AND COLLISION NARROWLY AVERTED ACCORDING TO RAMPALA, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

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MANY DAILIES CARRIED FULL-PAGE ACCOUNTS OF PRESENT-DAY CHINA, PAID BY CHICOM EMBASSY, AND MOST GAVE EXTENSIVE TREATMENT OF ARRIVALS. MOST EDITORIALS WELCOMED GREAT CHICOM LEADER AND AT SAME TIME SEVERAL CAUTIONED GOC NOT TO ALLOW VISIT TO AFFECT ITS POLICY OF NON-ALIGNMENT. PRESS GAVE CONSIDERABLE SPACE TO REPORTS OF GENERAL NE WIN'S ALLEGED ACTIVITIES IN INDIA IN BEHALF OF SINO-INDIAN BORDER UNDERSTANDING AND SPECULATED THAT PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE WOULD MAKE MAJOR EFFORT ACHIEVE SINO-INDIAN SETTLEMENT.

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Chou En-lai Visit

1. Australian High Commissioner McNicol called on Bhutto February 27 to invite him to visit Australia this spring. He found Bhutto receptive to invitation. McNicol took occasion to inquire about Chou En-lai visit and found Bhutto readily willing to discuss visit. Following is paraphrase of McNicol's report on his conversation with Bhutto re visit:

2. Bhutto said record really spoke for itself and mentioned President's and his own press conferences and communique. Commenting that "our western friends should be pleased with result" he noted that no agreements e.g., cultural or treaty of friendship had emerged from talks. At one point in our conversation he spoke of Chinese being "friends of Pakistan but not allies". McNicol said it seemed to me that he (Bhutto) had in effect set the limits for what might come out of Chou En-lai visit by what he had said at his press conference on February 19. Bhutto agreed saying he thought it only fair to let Chou En-lai know that further agreements and treaties between Pakistan and China were not on.

③ 3. Bhutto then volunteered that he had tried hard to persuade Chou En-lai to repeat in one of his public speeches what he had

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said at Bandung in 1955 about his readiness to negotiate outstanding differences with US. He had almost got to point of persuading Chou to do this when PAKISTAN TIMES carried stories that Pakistan had been suggesting during talks that they might play role of mediator between China and US. McNicol gathered from Bhutto that this press report had offended Chou En-lai and Bhutto said that from that point tone of Chou's public statements had stiffened e.g., his references to "imperialists" and "interventionists" at Lahore and Dacca.

4. In this connection Bhutto said that whilst President Ayub had not made any offer to Chou to mediate between China and US, Pakistan would be prepared to do so if both parties were agreeable. He added that it seemed to him that only large Asian country could act as broker between China and US and that Pakistan seemed obvious choice since in present circumstances neither India nor Indonesia would be acceptable to both parties.

5. Bhutto thought Pakistan had made significant gain by getting Chinese to state publicly that Kashmir problem should be settled in accordance with wishes of the people. He made it clear to me that he considered statement in communique was in fact endorsement of UNCIP resolutions. He said that change in Chinese position was significant in three respects:

(A) Major Communist power had supported Pakistan's position and even Soviet Union and her satellites could not disregard this pronouncement by fraternal party.

(B) He thought that since Chinese Communists had come out publicly in support of solution based on wishes of people, US could reasonably be expected to go even further in pressing for settlement.

(C) Chinese had common border with Kashmir and their acceptance of position set out in communique was therefore of particular importance.

5: Cautioning that I should not even make mental note of what he was about to say, Bhutto said he saw a "glimmer of light" on

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possible Kashmir settlement principally because recent developments in Kashmir "must be very disturbing" to India's leaders.

6. As for general atmosphere of our conversation, Bhutto did not indulge in any anti-Indian tirade -- in fact he hardly mentioned India. Nor did he endeavor to depict Chou En-lai visit as great popular success. McNicol's general impression was that he thought Pakistan had handled the visit pretty well; that they had got something out of it and given nothing away.

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Rumanian press February 27 front-pages communique announcing that Rumanian Workers Party (RWP) and Chinese Communist Party (CCP) have agreed exchange views on relations between two parties and countries "as well as on problems of unity Socialist Camp and International Communist and Workers movement." For this purpose, delegation of RWP Central Committee has accepted Chinese invitation make "friendship visit" to China beginning March. RWP delegation headed by Premier and Politburo Member Maurer and includes Politburo Members Bodnaras, Ceausescu and Stoica. CCP delegation headed by Liu Shao-Chi and will include Teng Hsiao-Ping, Peng Chen, and Kang Sheng.

Comment: Composition of Rumanian delegation (and Chinese too) makes clear visit will be for indicated purposes - - talks on Sino-Soviet split and related developments in Communist world, as well as on bilateral Rumanian-Chinese

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SINCE CHOU EN-LAI EMBARKED ON PRESENT ROUND OF VISITS TO
POINTS ENCIRCLING INDIA THERE HAVE BEEN PERSISTENCE
RUMORS IN DELHI THAT, EITHER AT CHOU'S INITIATIVE OR AS
RESULT OF INTERCESSION BY NE WIN ORNMRS. BANDARANAIKE,

CHOU EN-LAI WILL ALSO VISIT NEW DELHI FOR TALKS WITH
PM NEHRU BEFORE HIS RETURN TO CHINA.

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DENIED EMPHATICALLY THAT NE WIN SOUGHT TO ARRANGE

NEHRU-CHOU MEETING WHILE IN DELHI. FEBRUARY 28 DELHI PRESS
CARRIES REPORT THAT MEA SPOKESMAN FEBRUARY 27 SAID GOI
KNOW OF NO REPEAT NO PROPOSAL FOR DELHI VISIT BY CHOU.

WHILE WE CANNOT RULE OUT FUTURE CHANGE OF GOI POSITION
BECAUSE OF EXTERNAL PRESSURES OR OTHER PRESENTLY UNFORESEEN
FACTORS, IT SEEMS HIGHLY UNLIKELY THAT NEHRU WOULD WELCOME
CHOU TO DELHI WITHOUT PRIOR REDEMPITIVE ACTION BY CHOU,
WHOM NEHRU HAS PUBLICLY CHARGED WITH HAVING DECEIVED HIM
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Enclosed are transcripts of President Ayub's press conference in Rawalpindi, February 21, and Chou En-lai's press conference in Dacca, February 25. These were taken from tape recordings made by American correspondents and supplied to the Embassy by Jacques Nevard of the New York Times.

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COPY OF CHOU'S ADDRESS TO WEST PAKISTAN PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY.
NEVARD SAID SEVERAL SLANTED ANTI-AMERICAN REMARKS HAD BEEN
DELETED FROM ACTUAL ADDRESS. HE SAID HE UNABLE AS YET TO
GET COPY OF UNEXPURGATED TALK. HE SPECULATED THAT GOP
HAD REQUESTED DELETION OF ANTI-AMERICAN CONTENT."

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1. I CALLED TODAY AT MY REQUEST ON FONSEC ASIZ AHMED FOR GENERAL DISCUSSION ON RECENT SC DEBATE ON KASHMIR AND TO PROBE FOR EFFECT OF DEBATE AND CURRENT CHOU EN-LAI VISIT ON FUTURE GOP TACTICS. FONSEC HAD ACCOMPANIED CHOU EN-LAI AND BHUTTO UNTIL YESTERDAY WHEN PARTY FLEW TO DACCA. I GAINED GENERAL IMPRESSION ON KASHMIR THAT PAKS STILL FIRM IN INTENTION RETURN NY AND THAT THEY FEEL REFERENCE TO KASHMIR IN JOINT COMMUNIQUE WITH CHICOMS HAS DEFINITELY STRENGTHENED PAKISTAN'S HAND.

2. I TOLD FONSEC I WOULD BE SPENDING NEXT 5 DAYS IN EAST PAKISTAN AND WOULD STOP BRIEFLY IN DELHI ENROUTE TOMORROW FOR LUNCH AND BRIEF EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH AMB BOWLES. IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR ME TO HAVE SOME INDICATION OF HOW GOP PROPOSED PROCEED ON KASHMIR. AHMED REPLIED THAT GOP "UNCERTAINLY" EXPECTS RETURN TO SC FAIRLY SOON BUT THAT EXACT TIMING STILL UNDECIDED. FONSEC SAID BHUTTO HAD BEEN TOTALLY OCCUPIED WITH CHOU EN-LAI VISIT SINCE HIS RETURN AND HAD HAD OPPORTUNITY FOR ONLY SKETCHY BRIEFING OF PRES AYUB. BHUTTO DUE KARACHI FEB 26 AND WOULD THEN FULLY BRIEF PRES WHO ALSO IN KARACHI AT PRESENT. FONSEC SAID HE THOUGHT IT WOULD ALSO BE USEFUL FOR ME TO HAVE FULL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS WITH BHUTTO AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE AFTER MY RETURN FROM DACCA.

3. FONSEC SAID THAT HE PERSONALLY HAD ALREADY HAD FULL REPORT FROM BHUTTO, MUCH OF WHICH "DISTRESSING" IN THAT IT INDICATED US /NOT ONLY

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1. CHOU EN-LAI COMPLETED TWO DAY VISIT TO DACCA MORNING FEB 26. CONGEN DACCA REPORTS CHOU GREETED BY FAIR SIZED CROWD WHICH PROBABLY DAMPENED IN SIZE AND SPIRIT BY RAIN PRECEEDING LANDING. US NEWSMAN WITH CHOU PARTY ESTIMATED 4000 AT AIRPORT. PAK SOURCE SAID 20,000. FIRST FIGURE BELIEVED CLOSER TO FACT. PEOPLE FOUR TO FIVE DEEP ALONG CURBS APPEARED MORE CURIOUS THAN ENTHUSIASTIC. CHOU CAR MOVED WELL AHEAD OF REST OF MOTORCADE AT PACE WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN SECURITY MEASURE OVER WHICH PAKS REPORTED DEEPLY CONCERNED. DOUBLE USUAL NUMBER SECURITY MEN ALLEGED ASSIGNED PROTECT GUEST.

2. GOOD TURNOUT OF VIPS AT AIRPORT LED BY GOVERNOR MONEM KHAN, AND INCLUDED NA SPEAKER CHOWDHURY, FONMIN BHUTTO, PAK AMBASSADOR TO CHINA, RAZA. INDIAN DEPUTY HICOM ALSO PRESENT. INDIAN DEPUTY HICOM HAD EARLIER TOLD CONGEN DACCA THAT HE INSTRUCTED ACCEPT ALL OFFICIAL INVITATIONS TO FUNCTIONS HONORING CHOU.

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3. Dacca SCHEDULE INCLUDED BANQUET-EVENING 24TH BY GOVERNOR, MORNING CRUISE 25TH ON GOVERNOR'S YACHT. LATE AFTERNOON CIVIC RECEPTION AND CHOU PRESS CONFERENCE (COVERED SEPARATELY). SPEAKER NA GAVE DINNER IN CHOU'S HONOR EVENING 25TH FOLLOWED BY CULTURAL SHOW AT INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERS. CHOU DEPARTED FOR COLOMBO MORNING 26TH.

4. PREPARATIONS FOR VISIT APPEARED SOMEWHAT MORE ELABORATE THAN EARLIER STOPS. CONGEN Dacca REPORTS HUNDREDS OF LABORERS ENGAGED IN RE-SURFACING AIRPORT ROAD, WHITE WASHING CURBS. CITY FESTOONED WITH LIGHTS AND ARCHES ACCLAIMING ASIAN-AFRICAN UNITY, SPIRIT OF BANDUNG AND SINO-PAK NEIGHBORLINESS. ONE REGIMENT 14TH DIVISION SPECIALLY DRILLED FOR SHOW ALONG ROUTE FROM AIRPORT. LOUD SPEAKERS TOURED CITY URGING TO TURN OUT AND GOVT LAID ON FREE TRANSPORT FROM OUTLYING COMMUNITIES.

5. CHOU'S SPEECHES AT BANQUET AND CIVIC RECEPTION EMPHASIZED FRIENDSHIP, WORLD PEACE, AFRO-ASIAN COOPERATION AND SOLIDARITY. AT BANQUET CHOU PRAISED AYUB LEADERSHIP WHICH WOULD "CERTAINLY FRUSTRATE OUTSIDE INTERVENTION AND BRING STRENGTH AND PROSPERITY TO PAKISTAN." AT CIVIC RECEPTION CHOU AGAIN ALLUDED TO COMMUNIQUE AND SETTLEMENT OF KASHMIR DISPUTE "IN ACCORDANCE WITH WISHES PEOPLE OF KASHMIR AS PLEDGED THEM BY INDIA AND PAKISTAN." HE NOTED THAT "PUBLICATION OF SINO-PAKISTAN JOINT COMMUNIQUE MARKS NEW DEVELOPMENT IN THE RELATIONS OF FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN CHINA AND PAKISTAN".

6. PRESS SAID CONVERSATION BETWEEN CHOU AND GOVERNOR DURING TRIP ON GOVERNOR'S YACHT CONCERNED AGRICULTURAL PROBLEMS, WITH CHOU REPORTEDLY STRESSING NEED FOR COOPERATIVE FARMING TO AUGMENT FOOD PRODUCTION AND PARTICIPATION OF WOMEN IN AGRICULTURAL WORK.

7. CONGEN Dacca REPORTS OPPOSITION PRESS GAVE ARRIVAL GOOD PLAY BUT LOWER KEY THAN GOVT SUPPORTING PAPERS.

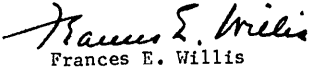

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Vice-Chairman of the People's Republic of
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HIS EXCELLENCY MR. CHOU EN-LAI
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Vice-Premier of the State Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs

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Vice Chairman of the People's Republic of China.

26th February, 1964 (Wednesday).

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Vice Chairman of the People's Republic of
China and party arrive at the Ratmalana
Airport by Special Aircraft.

Reception at the Airport.
- 3.00 p.m. - State Drive from Airport to Queen's House.
(The route will be via Airport Approach Road,
Galle Face Centre Road, and Queen Street).
- 3.45 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- 4.00 p.m. - Call on His Excellency the Governor-General.
- 7.00 p.m. - Call by Honourable Prime Minister of Ceylon.
- Night at Queen's House.

27th February, 1964 (Thursday).

- 9.00 a.m. - Leave for Horagolla.
- 9.45 a.m. - Her Excellency Madame Soong Ching Ling arrives
at the Samadhi of the late Mr. S.W.R.D.
Bandaranaike and is received by the Honourable
M.P. de Z. Siriwardena, Minister of Public Works
& Posts and Chairman of the Cabinet Sub
Committee, Bandaranaike Memorial. Her Excellency
Madame Soong Ching Ling will lay a wreath at
the Samadhi.

Refreshments at the Walawwa.
- 10.45 a.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
- 11.30 a.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- 12.00 noon - Lunch at Queen's House.
- 4.25 p.m. - Leave for Hotel Taprobane.
- 4.30 p.m. - Reception by the Ceylon-China Friendship
Association at the Hotel Taprobane.
- 5.45 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House.

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27th February (cont'd.)

- 5.55 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- 6.50 p.m. - Leave for "Temple Trees".
- 7.00 p.m.)
to) - Reception by Honourable Prime Minister of Ceylon
- 8.30 p.m.)
- 8.30 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
- 8.40 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- Night at Queen's House.

28th February, 1964, (Friday).

- Lunch at Queen's House.
- 3.30 p.m. - Leave for Horana.
- 4.30 p.m. - Sri Palee Trust lecture, Horana.
- 6.15 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
- 7.00 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- 8.00 p.m. - Banquet by His Excellency the Governor-General at Queen's House.
- Night at Queen's House.

29th February, 1964 (Saturday).

- Visit Lanka Mahila Samiti Model Training Centre at Kaduwela.
- Lunch at Queen's House.
- 7.30 p.m. - Banquet by Her Excellency Madame Soong Ching Ling, Vice Chairman of the People's Republic of China and His Excellency Mr. Chou En-lai Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China.

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29th February (cont'd.)

- 11.00 p.m. - Leave for Ratmalana Airport.
- 11.30 p.m. - Arrive at Ratmalana Airport.
- Departure ceremony at the Airport.

1st March 1964 (Sunday)

- 12.10 a.m. - Their Excellencies and entourage leave by Special Aircraft.

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For His Excellency Mr. Chou En-lai,
Premier of the State Council of the
People's Republic of China

Wednesday 26th February 1964.

- 2.20 p.m. - His Excellency Mr. Chou En-lai, Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China and party arrive at Ratmalana Airport by Special Aircraft.
- Reception at the Airport.
- 3.00 p.m. - State Drive from Airport to Queen's House. (The route will be via Airport Approach Road, Galle Road, Galle Face Centre Road and Queen's Street).
- 3.45 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- 4.00 p.m. - Call on His Excellency the Governor-General.
- 6.00 p.m. - Call on the Hon'ble Prime Minister of Ceylon.
- Night at Queen's House.

Thursday 27th February 1964.

- 9.00 a.m. - Leave for Horagolla.
- 9.45 a.m. - His Excellency Mr. Chou En-lai Arrives at the Samadhi of the late Mr. S.W.R.D. Bandaranaike and is received by the Honourable M.P. de Z. Siriwardane, Minister of Public Works & Posts and Chairman of the Cabinet Sub.Committee, Bandaranaike Memorial.
- The Premier will lay a wreath at the Samadhi.
- Refreshments at the Walauwa.
- 10.45 a.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
- 11.30 a.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
- 12.00 noon - Lunch at Queen's House.

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1.50 p.m. - Leave for Senate Building.
2.00 p.m. - Talks at Prime Minister's Office.
4.00 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
4.25 p.m. - Leave for Hotel Taprobane.
4.30 p.m. - Reception by the Ceylon-China Friendship Association at the Hotel Taprobane.
5.45 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
5.55 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
6.50 p.m. - Leave for "Temple Trees."
7.00 p.m.)
to) - Reception by the Honourable Prime Minister
8.30 p.m.) of Ceylon.
8.30 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House
8.40 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
Night at Queen's House.

Friday 28th February, 1964.

9.55 a.m. - Leave for Senate Building.
10.00 a.m. - Talks at the Prime Minister's Office.
12.00 noon - Leave for Queen's House.
12.30 p.m. - Lunch at Queen's House.
4.35 p.m. - Leave for Independence Square.
4.45 p.m. - Address meeting of Government party Trade Unions and Youth Leagues.
6.15 p.m. - Leave for Queen's House.
6.30 p.m. - Arrive at Queen's House.
8.00 p.m. - Banquet by His Excellency the Governor-General at Queen's House.
Night at Queen's House.

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Saturday 29th February 1964.

- 11.25 a.m. - Leave for Senate Building.
 - 11.30 a.m. - Talks and Signing of Joint Communique at the Prime Minister's Office.
 - 12.30 p.m. - Lunch at Queen's House.
 - 7.30 p.m. - Banquet by Her Excellency Madame Soong Ching Ling, Vice Chairman of the People's Republic of China and His Excellency Mr. Chou-En-lai, Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China.
 - 11.00 p.m. - Leave for Ratmalana Airport.
 - 11.30 p.m. - Arrive at Ratmalana Airport.
- Departure ceremony at the Airport.

Sunday 1st March 1964.

- 12.10 a.m. - Their Excellencies and entourage leave by Special Aircraft.

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SUBJECT: Chou En-lai's Visit to Africa

From December 14, 1963 to February 4, 1964, Chicom Premier Chou En-lai, accompanied by Vice Premier and Foreign Minister Ch'en Yi and retinue of about 50, visited 10 African countries (plus Albania). This trip most ambitious and extensive Chicom diplomatic offensive yet undertaken in Free World.

Objectives

Visit constituted major step in Chicom campaign expand its relations with Free World and compete with West and USSR for influence in LDC's. In addition, gaining sympathy for their policies and refurbishing image damaged by their intransigency and militancy, Chicoms undoubtedly interested in having first-hand look at African problems and assessing diplomatic, economic and subversive opportunities in Africa. Chinese also sought promote second Afro-Asian conference this year.

Achievements

Chou successful in improving Chicom image in several African countries and creating favorable personal impression. He also managed to convey impression Chicom and African identity of interests, e.g., in national liberation struggle, opposition

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opposition to neocolonialism and imperialism, and for most part, to avoid areas of disagreement. Agreement exchange diplomatic representations with Tunisia, "normalization" relations with Ethiopia significant gains. Chou also obtained support for second Afro-Asian conference from 7 African countries. Finally, recognition of GPR by Zanzibar, Kenya, Burundi, and France, though these unconnected with trip, enhanced his prestige and improved Chicom position on international scene.

Reverses

Most serious reverse of trip was postponement of projected visits to Tanganyika, Kenya, and Uganda, at instance governments those countries, following army mutinies in East Africa and revolution Zanzibar. Apparently some East African leaders entertained suspicions Chicoms involved in revolt and mutinies. However, Chou still scheduled visit Tanganyika, Kenya and Uganda, as well as Zanzibar and Burundi.

Chou's press conference in Mogadiscio, at which he described Africa as "ripe for revolution" and apparently criticized Ethiopia and Morocco, at least by implication, must have raised further doubts and fears in African minds.

Less serious setbacks were Chou's failure secure endorsement Afro-Asian conference from UAR, Morocco, and Tunisia, failure persuade Ethiopian Emperor receive him at Addis Ababa rather than Asmara, and public rebukes from both Tunisia's Bourguiba and Haile Selassie. It is probable, moreover, he disappointed Somali hopes Peiping would support Somalia's irridentist ambitions.

Reactions to Visit in Countries Visited

Reactions to visit varied with regions visited. North Africa gave Chou most restrained reception, with Algeria most friendly of countries visited in that region.

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Chicoms gained more in terms of propaganda in West Africa. Ghana, Guinea, and Mali, with which countries Chicoms had had closest relations, responded readily to Chicom political objectives, expressed gratitude for Chicom economic aid, and supported second Afro-Asian conference wholeheartedly. In East Africa, Chou received warmly in Sudan and Somalia, less so in Ethiopia.

Reactions to Visit Other African Countries

Reactions in other African countries varied, in general, from apathy to concern. Nigerian press was generally hostile, while conservative leaders of Ivory Coast, Gabon, and Malagasy Republic expressed anxiety over dangers inherent in Chicom presence. However, Zanzibar and Burundi extended invitations to Chou.

Outlook

Africa has become Chicom high priority target. Unprecedented trip by Chicom chief of government demonstrates Peiping's determination accelerate Chicom penetration of Africa.

Chicoms try appeal to Africa on two levels: state-to-state and person-to-person. Thus, while seeking establish and expand relations with governments, they invite radical opposition elements to look to Peiping for inspiration and sustenance. There is evidence they now preparing more aggressive action in support their efforts influence Africans to collaborate with Peiping for overthrow conservative regimes, which often fragile and without deep roots.

Most Africans thus far not unduly impressed, realizing perhaps Peiping can give only marginal economic and technical assistance as compared with West and Soviet bloc. Even most radical African states have tended work with Moscow rather than Peiping.

To compensate

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To compensate their limitations in field of aid, Chicoms may seek increase export their ideology and subversive techniques. Many Africans are attracted by vehemence Chicom anti-imperialist line and Chicom support for violence in national liberation struggle. Perhaps most important weapon available to Chicoms is capacity train revolutionary cadres.

Africa may be expected for foreseeable future undergo series crises of instability, present leadership coming under increasing attack. Chicoms will obviously wish seize opportunities which develop as result.

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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

FONMIN BHUTTO IN PRESS CONFERENCE FEB 26 MADE FOLLOWING
COMMENTS CONCERNING CHOU EN-LAI VISIT:

1. IN SUMMARY, BHUTTO SAID RESULTS OF VISIT WERE SATIS-FACTORY,
TALKS CONSTRUCTIVE AND CONDUCTED SO AS TO CONTRIBUTE
TO SOLUTION OF PROBLEMS AND STRENGTHEN SOLIDARITY. WE HAD
PROFITABLE EXCHANGE OF VIEWS WITH CHINESE LEADERS ON MANY
ISSUES".
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2. WHEN ASKED DEFINE PAKISTANS RELATIONSHIP WITH CHINA,
(WHETHER AN ALLY OR FRIEND) BHUTTO REMARKED, "A NEIGHBOR WITH
WHOM WE HAVE FRIENDLY RELATIONS".
3. BHUTTO REPORTEDLY SAID IN VIEW OF DEVELOPING FRIENDLY
RELATIONS WITH PEKING HE DID NOT THINK THERE ANY NEED FOR PAK-
ISTAN AND CHINA ENTERING INTO A NON-AGGRESSION PACT.
4. ON AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE, BHUTTO SAID PAKISTAN BEING
CO-SPONSOR OF FIRST BANDUNG WAS WEDDED TO FIVE PRINCIPLES OF
PEACE EMERGING THEREFROM. INDIA MIGHT HAVE PARTICIPATED IN
FIRST BANDUNG WITH CERTAIN MENTAL RESERVATIONS, BUT PAKISTAN
HAD FAITH IN PRINCIPLES GIVEN BIRTH AT BANDUNG. HE FAVORED
INCLUSION OF LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES IN BANDUNG STYLE
CONFERENCE. BHUTTO ALSO EXPRESSED HOPE THAT INDIA, AS ONE
OF SEVENTEEN INVITEES TO PREPARATORY CONFERENCE, WOULD BE
ABLE ATTEND MEETING.

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5. ON QUESTION ACTING AS HONEST BROKER IN SINO-US DISPUTE, BHUTTO SAID THAT SINCE VIEWS OF CHINESE LEADERS ARE NOW KNOWN "WE OFFERED ONLY OUR GOOD OFFICES IF REQUIRED". INITIATIVE MUST COME FROM EITHER OF PARTIES.
6. ON QUESTION OF ROAD LINK TO KASHGAR, SINKIANG, BHUTTO SAID AT PRESENT THERE NO PROPOSAL UNDER CONSIDERATION, BUT
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NOTED CARAVAN ROUTE HAD EXISTED EARLIER BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND SINKIANG. HE ADDED HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE GOOD THING IF SOMETHING DONE FOR ECONOMIC BENEFIT POOR POPULATION OF HUNZA AND SURROUNDING AREAS.
7. ON QUESTION CHOU'S VIEWS ON RESOLUTION SOUTH EAST ASIAN PROBLEMS, DAWN VERSION OF PRESS CONFERENCE REPORTED BHUTTO SAID PAKISTAN ALWAYS STOOD FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF AGREEMENTS. CHOU, IT MAY BE STATED, HAD SAID THAT IMPLEMENTATION OF GENEVA AGREEMENT COULD RESOLVE THE ISSUE OF INDO-CHINA" IN CONTRAST, APP VERSION SAID "BHUTTO REFUSED BE DRAWN INTO DISCUSSION PAKISTAN'S STAND ON PROBLEM SOUTH VIETNAM AND LAOS. HE SAID PAKISTAN HAD A NUMBER OF OWN PROBLEMS TO LOOK AFTER AND WAS CONCENTRATING ON THEM. BESIDES, SHE WAS NEITHER A BIG POWER NOR HAD ANY PRESUMPTION TO MEDDLE INTO EVERYTHING".
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FROM: NEA - Mr. Grant *MA*
SUBJECT: Preliminary Observations on Chou En-lai's Visit
to Pakistan, February 18 to 26
For Information

Chou En-lai has completed his state visit to Pakistan. The Joint Communique (attached) was issued February 23, and Chou, President Ayub, and Foreign Minister Bhutto have held press conferences. Our preliminary conclusions are as follows:

A. Handling of the Visit

1. The GOP's handling of the public affairs aspect was restrained. The pomp and press treatment were moderate -- apparently due to tight governmental control. Chou had little opportunity to speak before large groups.

2. The GOP went to some pains to alleviate U.S. concern over the visit. At press conferences during the visit Bhutto strongly defended Pakistan's alliances with the West and Ayub referred to the value to Pakistan of U.S. assurances.

B. The Joint Communique

1. The communique has no major surprises. It is moderate in tone and does not contain militant anti-Western statements. (The only anti-Western thrust is an indirect reference to U.S. military aid to India, "massive military preparations have never been the answer to international differences".)

2. Pakistan gained what they undoubtedly regard as a considerable concession in getting the Chinese Communists to abandon their overt neutrality on Kashmir and essentially to support Pakistan's position.

3. So far as the communique reveals, the Chinese gained no new important commitments. But, they did get reaffirmation of Pakistan's support for: (a) Chinese Communist seating in the U.N.; (b) a new Bandung-type conference; (c) by inference, the Chinese position on negotiations with India over the Sino-Indian border dispute; and

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(d) the position that Afro-Asian countries should be more adequately represented in the U.N. and the specialized agencies. The Chinese also gained President Ayub's acceptance of an invitation to visit China.

4. The Indian Government, already suspicious that Pakistan and Communist China had a secret understanding, will be concerned over the possible implications of this sentence: "They also reviewed the recent developments in this region and arrived at a fuller understanding of matters of common interest to the two countries."

C. Longer Range Implications

1. The three principal lines of Pakistan policy were clearly visible in the handling of the visit: (a) continued support of the alliance with the U.S.; (b) the desire for closer relations with the Chinese, as an additive factor in Pakistan's security calculus in order to bring further pressure on India; and (c) Pakistan's desire to identify itself more closely with the Afro-Asian world.

2. The main immediate effect is to embitter Indo-Pak relations. The Government of India is less likely than ever to make compromises on Kashmir. In this respect, our maneuverability in handling this problem, as well as other Indo-Pakistan problems, is likely to be lessened.

3. The Chinese enhanced their image in Pakistan and preserved if not enlarged their foothold. For the long run, the Pakistanis may have opened Pandora's box by getting the Chinese to express "the hope that the Kashmir dispute would be resolved in accordance with the wishes of the people as pledged to them by India and Pakistan". This establishes an indebtedness of Pakistan to China on an issue of great importance to Pakistan and one that China will be able to use to extract support from Pakistan over the months ahead. At the same time, moreover, the Chinese position opens up a longer range possibility that they may be able to extend their influence in Kashmir, particularly in Ladakh.

4. The main unanswered question is, did Pakistan and China come to a limited understanding over how to deal in concert with India? We know that Bhutto and others had this on their minds before the visit.

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Joint Communiqué

Rawalpindi, Feb. 23. Following joint communiqué on Ayub-Chou-En lai talks was signed at a formal ceremony here this morning by Foreign Ministers of China and Pakistan was released tonight:

"At the invitation of Field Marshal Mohammad Ayub Khan, President of Pakistan, Mr. Chou-en-lai, Premier of the State Council of the People's Republic of China, paid an official visit to Pakistan. He was accompanied by Marshal Chen Yi, Vice Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Madam Chen Yi, and high officials of the Chinese Government. In the course of this visit Premier Chou-en-lai and his party were accorded warm reception everywhere.

The Prime Minister had a friendly exchange of views with the President of Pakistan. Their discussions covered general international situation and the need for safeguarding world peace and, in that context, the importance of achieving general disarmament, including the total prohibition and destruction of nuclear weapons. They also reviewed the recent developments in this region and arrived at a fuller understanding of matters of common interest to the two countries.

The President and the Prime Minister expressed satisfaction at the fact that relations between the two countries had developed further since the Prime Minister's last visit to Pakistan in 1956, particularly since the signing of Pakistan-China boundary agreement in March 1963. They agreed that friendly cooperation between them should continue within the framework of the ten principals of peace enunciated at Bandung.

The President and the Prime Minister were gratified to note that the movement for national independence had made rapid progress in Asia and Africa and that in recent years many countries had achieved freedom and were now well on the road to independent development. They expressed their firm opposition to colonialism where and in whatever form it exists and hoped that it would soon be eradicated.

The President and the Prime Minister recalled the first Asian-African conference held in Bandung in 1955 had opened new avenues of cooperation among the peoples of Asia and Africa and helped to strengthen forces of national independence in their struggle against colonialism. Since that historic conference, more than thirty new nations had emerged in Asia and Africa and it was therefore time that a second conference of Asian and African countries should be convened. Such a conference could make a valuable contribution to the prevention of aggression striving for world peace and development of friendly cooperation among the Asian-African countries.

The President and the Prime Minister noted with satisfaction the fact that many newly liberated countries of Asia and Africa had been admitted to the United Nations. They believed, however, that the United

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Nations could not be considered to be fully representative of mankind until a rightful place of the People's Republic of China in the organization was restored. They agreed that in any event as membership of the United Nations had more than doubled since its foundation, it was necessary to give more adequate representation to countries of Asia and Africa in organs of the United Nations and in specialised agencies.

The President and the Prime Minister agreed that the border dispute between India and China should and can be resolved peacefully through negotiations. They expressed the hope that the Kashmir dispute would be resolved in accordance with the wishes of the people of Kashmir as pledged to them by India and Pakistan. It would be of no avail to deny the existence of these disputes and to adopt the big-nation chauvinistic attitude of imposing one's will on others. Massive military preparations have never been the answer to international differences. They only create new tensions and bring added burdens to the people. Early settlement of these disputes, they considered, was necessary in the interest of world peace and the well-being of the peoples of Asia.

On behalf of Chairman Liu Shao-Chi and in his own name, Premier Chou-en-Lai extended an invitation to President Mohammad Ayub Khan to visit the People's Republic of China at a time convenient to him. The President accepted this invitation with pleasure."

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BEVERAGES FLOWED LIBERALLY. WITH HIGH GOVT OFFICIALS IN

ATTENDANCE WELL-KNOWN LEFTISTS, AND COMMUNISTS WERE PARADED

TO DIAS TO MEET CHOU. THEY LUSTILY CHEERED ALL REFERENCES TO

"IMPERIALISM" IN CHEN YI'S ADDRESS. BRITTEN FELT THAT AS

COMPARED WITH MODERATE POSTURE OF ASSOCIATION UNDER LATE

GHAZANFAR ALI KHAN IT IS NOW PASSING INTO HANDS OF LEFTISTS

UNDER TUTELAGE OF CHINESE COMMUNISTS.

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1. CHOU EN-LAI MET PRESS EVENING FEB. 25 DACCA. MAJOR PORTION 75 MINUTE PRESS CONFERENCE DEVOTED CHOU EXPLANATION CHICOM STAND TAIWAN. PRESS SAID THAT CHOU ANSWERED EVERY QUESTION PUT TO HIM BY PAK, US, JAPANESE AND BRITISH CORRESPONDENTS WITHOUT HESITATION. ALTHOUGH DECLINED COMMENT FURTHER ON CONTENTS JOINT COMMUNIQUE. CORRESPONDENTS SAID TO HAVE NOTED "SIGNS OF EMOTION" ON HIS FACE WHEN HE ANSWERED QUESTIONS PERTAINING SINO INDIAN DISPUTE, TAIWAN AND HIS VIEWS ON THEORY OF CO-EXISTENCE AS EXPOUNDED BY SOVIET UNION. PRESS ALSO SAID CHOU MORE THAN ONCE REFERRED TO PRES AYUB WITH "FRIENDLY AFFECTION."

2. CHOU DECLARED HIS COUNTRYS POSITION ON THE KASHMIR QUESTION WAS "FAIR" AND THAT SINO-INDIAN BORDER ISSUE IS DIFFERENT AND SHOULD NOT BE TREATED ON PAR WITH KASHMIR. "THE BORDER DISPUTE BETWEEN CHINA AND INDIA CAN BE SETTLED ONLY THROUGH PEACEFUL NEGOTIATIONS AND BY NO OTHER METHOD."

3. CHOU SAID RELATIONS OF PAKISTAN AND CHINA ARE SO CORDIAL THAT HE DID NOT FEEL NECESSITY OF SIGNING TREATY OF CO-EXISTENCE, AS TWO COUNTRIES WERE ALREADY PURSUING FIVE PRINCIPLES OF CO-EXISTENCE.

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4. ON TAIWAN ISSUE, TAKASHI' OKA, US CORRESPONDENT OF JAPANESE ANCESTRY, ASKED IF CHINA WOULD AGREE TO PRINCIPLE OF SELF-DETERMINATION FOR SETTLEMENT. CHOU REPLIED TAIWAN WAS ESSENTIALLY PROVINCE OF CHINA, CITIZENS OF ISLAND POSSESSED SAME NATIONALITY AND SPOKE DIALECT SIMILAR TO THAT OF MAINLAND AND THAT EVEN CHIANG KAI-SHEK HELD SAME VIEWS. CHOU OUTLINED LAST 60 YEARS OF HISTORY OF ISLAND AND MADE USUAL COMMENTS ON TWO CHINA THEORY STATING "WE WOULD LIKE TO TELL AMERICA THAT THEIR PLOT WOULD NEVER SUCCEED." HE SAID OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF WORLD NATIONS WERE AGAINST TWO CHINA THEORY INCLUDING THOSE WHO HAVE NOT YET RECOGNIZED PRC.

5. ON SEATO AND CENTO CHOU NOTED TO CORRESPONDENTS THAT HE HAD FAITH IN PAKISTAN STAND WITH RESPECT TO BOTH PACTS AND THAT GOP HAD ASSURED HIM THAT THESE WERE DEFENSIVE TREATIES. "WE BELIEVE WHAT GOP SAYS." HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT PACTS WERE DESIGNED BY US PRIMARILY FOR PURPOSE OF AGGRESSION AND THAT THIS QUITE EVIDENT BY ACTS OF SABOTAGE IN SOUTH EAST ASIA BY AMERICANS PARTICULARLY IN SOUTH VIET NAM.

7. ON SINO-US RELATIONS CHOU ENUNCIATED TWO PRIMARY CONDITIONS FOR SETTLEMENT: (1) AMERICA MUST ACCEPT PRINCIPLE CO-EXISTENCE, MUTUAL RESPECT, AND NON-INTERFERENCE AND (2) AMERICA MUST AGREE VACATE TAIWAN IN PRINCIPLE. CHINA HE SAID, HAD BEEN SEEKING REPEATEDLY TO REACH ACCORD WITH US ON THESE TWO POINTS SINCE 1953 WITHOUT SUCCESS.

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6. ON SITUATION IN INDO-CHINA CHOU SAID IN ORDER INSURE PEACE IN INDO CHINA 1954 GENEVA AGREEMENT MUST BE FULLY IMPLEMENTED. US MILITARY PERSONNEL MUST BE WITHDRAWN FROM SOUTH VIET NAM AND AMERICA STOP INTERVENTION THERE.

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NSC FOLLOWING ARE ANSWERS GIVEN BY CHOU EN-LAI TO QUESTIONS PUT
INR BY AP OF PAKISTAN SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT, SAFDAR ALI
CIA QUPRESHI, DURING CHOUS TOUR OF PAKISTAN.
NSA QUESTIONS WERE SENT TO PRIME MINISTER WHILE TALKS GOING
ON BETWEEN HIM AND PRESIDENT AYUB IN RAWALPINDI.
OSD WRITTEN ANSWERS WERE HANDED TO CORRESPONDENT BY CHOU ON
ARMY EVENING FEB 25.
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QUESTION 1: SIR, PRESIDENT AYUB TOLD PRESS CONFERENCE ON
SATURDAY THAT IF GOOD OFFICES OF PAKISTAN ARE REQUIRED
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TO BRIDGE GULF BETWEEN US AND CHINA, PAKISTAN WOULD BE GLAD TO
HELP. DO YOU THINK GOOD OFFICES OF PAKISTAN OR ANY OTHER COMMON
FRIEND CAN BE HELPFUL IN BRINGING SOME SORT OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN
CHINA AND US?

ANSWER: PAKISTANS PRESIDENT AND OTHER FRIENDS WISH TO
SEE A RELAXATION OF SINO-AMERICAN RELATIONS. THEIR GOOD DE-
SIRE IS FULLY UNDERSTANDABLE. FOR MANY YEARS THE CHINESE GOVT
HAS CONSISTENTLY WORKED FOR RELAXATION OF TENSION BETWEEN
CHINA AND THE US AND HAS SHOWN UTMOST RESTRAINT AND PATIENCE.
DESPITE FACT US OCCUPIED CHINAS TERRITORY TAIWAN WITH ARMED
FORCES, CHINESE GOVT STILL STRIVES SEEK PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT
OF DISPUTE BETWEEN CHINA AND US WITHOUT RESORTING TO FORCE.
BACK IN 1955 DURING BANDUNG CONFERENCE, I PROPOSED ON BEHALF OF

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CHINESE GOVT THAT GOVTS OF CHINA AND US SHOULD SIT TOGETHER AND NEGOTIATE SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES BETWEEN THEM, INCLUDING A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF QUESTION OF WITHDRAWAL OF US ARMED FORCES FROM TAIWAN AND THE TAIWAN STRAITS. THIS PROPOSAL LED TO SINO-US AMBASSADORIAL TALKS, WHICH HAVE LASTED FOR EIGHT AND HALF YEARS. THESE TALKS HAVE THUS FAR FAILED TO YIELD ANY RESULT BECAUSE US GOVT HAS REFUSED REACH AGREEMENT
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ON PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE WITH CHINA ON BASIS OF FIVE PRINCIPLES, AND REFUSED TO AGREE IN PRINCIPLE TO WITHDRAW ITS ARMED FORCES FROM TAIWAN AND TAIWAN STRAITS.

THE ROOT CAUSE OF TENSION BETWEEN CHINA AND US IS PERSISTENCE OF US GOVT IN ITS HOSTILE POLICY TOWARD CHINA. IT IS FOR THE DOER TO UNDO THE KNOT. THE ONLY WAY TO IMPROVE SINO-US RELATIONS IS FOR US GOVT TO PROVE BY DEEDS ITS WILLINGNESS CHANGE ITS HOSTILE POLICY TOWARDS CHINA. WE WOULD WELCOME HELPFUL EFFORTS IN THIS DIRECTION BY OUR FRIENDS WHO ARE WILLING TO OFFER THEIR GOOD OFFICES BETWEEN CHINA AND US.

QUESTION 2: SIR, PRESIDENT AND FOMIN OF PAKISTAN HAVE HAD TALKS WITH YOU ON QUESTION OF KASHMIR. A MEMORANDUM FROM PEOPLE OF KASHMIR HAS ALSO BEEN SENT TO YOU. WHAT HAS BEEN YOUR REACTION?

ANSWER: WITH REGARD TO KASHMIR DISPUTE, WE HAVE ALREADY EXPRESSED OUR VIEWS IN CHINA-PAKISTAN JOINT COMMUNIQUE. IT IS OUR HOPE THAT DISPUTE WOULD BE RESOLVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF KASHMIR AS PLEDGED TO THEM BY INDIA AND PAKISTAN.

DISPUTES BETWEEN ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES SHOULD AND CAN ALL
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BE SETTLED FAIRLY AND REASONABLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH FIVE PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND TEN PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG CONFERENCE IN SPIRIT OF EQUALITY AND FRIENDLY CONSULTATION. REFUSING DO SO AND ADOPTING INSTEAD A BIG NATIONAL CHAUVINIST ATTITUDE OF IMPOSING ONES WILL ON OTHERS, WILL GET ONE NOWHERE.

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QUESTION 3: WHAT HAVE BEEN POSITIVE RESULTS OF YOUR TALKS WITH PRESIDENT AYUB KHAN. IS THERE ANY LIKELIHOOD ☐ OF A FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES FOR POSITIVELY EXPANDED TRADE AND OTHER CONTACTS?

ANSWER: WE HELD AMICABLE AND FRANK TALKS WITH PRESIDENT AYUB KHAN AND OTHER LEADERS OF PAKISTAN GOT. WE HAD A FULL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS AND ACHIEVED A FULLER MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING ON INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS OF COMMON CONCERN TO BOTH PARTIES AND ON FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF RELATIONS OF FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN CHINA AND PAKISTAN.

IMPORTANT RESULTS OF TALKS HAVE BEEN RECORDED IN CHINA-PAKISTAN JOINT COMMUNIQUE WHICH HAS BEEN RELEASED.

TALKS DID NOT COVER QUESTION OF A TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN CHINA AND PAKISTAN. HOWEVER, TIME WILL PROVE
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THAT MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND TRUST SHOWN BY BOTH PARTIES IN TALKS WILL OPEN BROADER PROSPECTS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF RELATIONS OF FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES.

QUESTION 4: SIR, WOULD YOU LIKE TO ASSESS SIGNIFICANCE OF FRENCH DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION OF CHINA AND YOUR SUCCESSFUL TOUR OF AFRICA?

ANSWER: OUR RECENT VISIT TO TEN FRIENDLY AFRICAN COUNTRIES HAS FURTHER STRENGTHENED FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN PEOPLE OF CHINA AND AFRICA AND ACHIEVED POSITIVE RESULTS IN PROMOTING CAUSE OF ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES UNITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM. THIS IS WHAT IMPERIALISTS HAVE TO SEE, BUT THEY HAVE NO POWER FORESTALL THEIR DEVELOPMENT.

AS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CHINA AND FRANCE, THIS IS IMPORTANT EVENT IN CURRENT INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT. ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CHINA AND FRANCE IS NOT ONLY IN INTERESTS OF CHINESE AND FRENCH PEOPLES, BUT ALSO HELPFUL TO DEVELOPMENT OF ECONOMIC, TRADE AND CULTURAL RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES. REALIZATION OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE BETWEEN COUNTRIES WITH DIFFERENT SOCIAL SYSTEMS AND CAUSE OF WORLD PEACE. US TRIED ITS UTMOST TO OBSTRUCT

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ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN CHINA AND FRANCE, BUT IT FAILED TO ACHIEVE ITS PURPOSE.

BOTH MATTERS YOU HAVE MENTIONED PROVE THAT CHINA IS MAKING MORE AND MORE FRIENDS AND ATTEMPT TO ISOLATE CHINA IS MERELY WISHFUL THINKING. THOSE WHO TRY EVERY POSSIBLE MEANS TO ISOLATE CHINA HAVE IN THE END ISOLATED THEMSELVES.

QUESTION 5: SIR, ARE YOU DESIROUS OF GOING TO INDIA TO SETTLE THE SINO-INDIAN BORDER DISPUTE WITH PRIME MINISTER NEHRU? WHAT HAS BEEN REACTION OF INDIAN GOVT?

ANSWER: CHINESE GOVT HAS DONE EVERYTHING IN ITS POWER FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF SINO-INDIAN BOUNDARY QUESTION AND WILL CONTINUE EFFORTS TO THIS END.

IN 1960 I VISITED NEW DELHI AND HELD TALKS WITH NEHRU. LATER CHINESE GOVT HAS STATED NUMBER OF TIMES THAT IT WOULD WELCOME NEHRU FOR A VISIT TO PEKING TO REOPEN NEGOTIATIONS AND IF INDIAN PRIME MINISTER SHOULD FIND IT INCONVENIENT TO DO SO, CHINESE PREMIER WOULD BE READY TO GO ONCE AGAIN TO NEW DELHI. THIS REMAINS OUR STAND. IT IS REGRETTABLE THAT INDIAN GOVT HAS SO FAR FAILED TO GIVE ANY POSITIVE RESPONSE.

QUESTION 6; JOINT COMMUNIQUE ISSUED AFTER YOUR TALKS

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WITH GENERAL NE WIN OF BURMA SAID CONDITIONS ON SINO-INDIAN BORDER HAD IMPROVED. WHAT DO YOU THINK? ARE THERE REASONS FOR THIS IMPROVEMENT AND DO YOU THINK A FURTHER IMPROVEMENT IS LIKELY?

ANSWER: SITUATION ALONG SINO-INDIAN BORDER HAS BEEN EASED MAINLY BECAUSE CHINESE GOVT TOOK A WHOLE SERIES OF IMPORTANT MEASURES, SUCH AS CEASEFIRE AND WITHDRAWAL ON ITS OWN INITIATIVE. MEDIATORY EFFORTS OF COLOMBO CONFERENCE NATIONS HAVE ALSO BEEN HELPFUL. AT PRESENT, CONDITIONS ARE READY FOR OPENING OF DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN CHINA AND INDIA ON BASIS OF COLOMBO CONFERENCE PROPOSALS. FURTHER RELAXATION OF SINO-INDIAN BORDER SITUATION AND PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF SINO-INDIAN BOUNDARY QUESTION ARE ENTIRELY POSSIBLE PROVIDED INDIA AGREES RETURN TO CONFERENCE TABLE WITHOUT ANY PRE-CONDITIONS.

QUESTION 7: COULD YOU SAY IN SOME DETAIL WHAT KIND OF

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MATTERS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE DISCUSSED AT SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE?

ANSWER: IN MY VIEW EXTENSIVE DISCUSSIONS CAN BE HELD AT SECOND ASIAN-AFRICAN CONFERENCE ON STRENGTHENING ASIAN-AFRICAN PEOPLES UNITY AGAINST IMPERIALISM, WINNING AND SAFEGUARDING
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NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE OF ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES, PROMOTING THEIR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEFENDING WORLD PEACE SO AS TO GIVE MORE CONCRETE EXPRESSION TO TEN PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG CONFERENCE VIS-A-VIS PRESENT DAY CONDITIONS. AS TO SPECIFIC TOPICS TO BE TAKEN UP AT CONFERENCE, THEY SHOULD BE DISCUSSED AND DECIDED UPON AT PREPARATORY MEETING.

QUESTION 8: INDIAN DEFENCE MINISTER, MR. CHAVAN, SAID IN INDIAN PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY THAT CHINESE FORCES WERE BEING CONCENTRATED ON SINO-INDIAN BORDER. WOULD YOU LIKE TO COMMENT ON THIS?

ANSWER: EVER SINCE CHINA CEASED FIRE ON ITS OWN INITIATIVE, INDIAN GOVT. HAS BEEN SAYING FOR MORE THAN A YEAR THAT CHINA IS CONCENTRATING FORCES ON SINO-INDIAN BORDER.

AT BEGINNING, WE REPLIED THAT THESE ALLEGATIONS WERE NOT FOUNDED ON ANY FACT WHATEVER. NEVERTHELESS, THEY CONTINUED MAKE SUCH PROPAGANDA IN PRESS. HOWEVER, WOULD OPINION GRADUALLY BEGAN TO KNOW THAT INDIAN GOVT WAS SPREADING SENSATIONAL NEWS ONLY TO CREATE A TENSE SITUATION.

WORLD OPINION NOW IS NO LONGER BEHIND THEM, BUT SUDDENLY THEY HAVE AGAIN BEGUN TO REPEAT THIS FALSE PROPAGANDA.
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ANYBODY WITH ANY KNOWLEDGE OF ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS (WEATHER) COULD SEE HOW IT COULD NOT BE POSSIBLE FOR CHINESE GOVT TO CONCENTRATE TROOPS ON EITHER EASTERN OR WESTERN SECTOR OF SINO-INDIAN BORDER.

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I CAN TELL YOUR NEWS AGENCY, AND THROUGH YOUR NEWS AGENCY THE WORLD, ONCE AGAIN THAT ACTUAL SITUATION HAS RELAXED IN SINO-INDIAN BORDER AND IS NOT TENSE. OUR FORCES HAVE WITHDRAWN TO TWENTY KILOMETERS ON OUR SIDE FROM LINE OF ACTUAL CONTROL, ALONG ENTIRE LENGTH OF BORDER AND THEREBY DISENGAGEMENT HAS BEEN EFFECTED BETWEEN THEM AND INDIAN MILITARY FORCE OR CIVILIAN PERSONNEL. CONSEQUENTLY, WE ARE SURE OF RELAXATION OF SINO INDIAN BORDER SITUATION.

QUESTION 9: DO YOU SIR, EXPECT THAT KASHMIR WILL BE ONE OF SUBJECTS ON SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE AGENDA?

ANSWER: IT IS OUR HOPE THAT AT SECOND AFRO-ASIAN CONFERENCE, WE WILL DISCUSS GENERAL PRINCIPLES TO SEEK COMMON GROUND AND RESERVE OUR DIFFERENCES. WE SHOULD DISCUSS QUESTIONS OF COMMON CONCERN, QUESTIONS ON WHICH WE CAN REACH COMMON AGREEMENT. AS FOR DISPUTES BETWEEN AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRIES, IN PRINCIPLE, WE ARE FOR THEIR SOLUTION THROUGH CONSULTATIONS BY PARTIES CONCERNED AND SO THAT OTHER ASIAN-

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USIA 1. CHOU EN-LAI COMPLETED TWO DAY VISIT LAHORE FEB 24,
AND NOW IN DACCA FOR FINAL PHASE VISIT ENDING FEB 26.
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CHOU WELCOMED BY SPARSE AND RATHER UNENTHUSIASTIC CROWDS
ALONG ROUTE INTO CITY BUT BY SOME INCREASE IN CROWDS AS
VISIT PROGRESSED. IN CONVERSATION WITH AMB FEB 25 FONSEC
SAID LAHORE CROWDS DECIDEDLY MUCH SMALLER THAN WHAT HE
CLAIMED WAS ENTHUSIASTIC AND LARGE RECEPTION RAWALPINDI,
BLAMING SMALL CROWDS LAHORE TO RAINY WEATHER. LAHORE PROGRAM
INCLUDED FIRST DAY LUNCHEON BY PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION,
AFTERNOON CIVIC RECEPTION, BANQUET BY GOVERNOR, CULTURAL
SHOW AT POLICE CLUB AND SECOND DAY ADDRESS BEFORE PROVINCIAL
ASSEMBLY.

2. FONMIN CHEN YI REPLIED FOR CHICOMS TO SPEECHES OF WELCOME
GIVEN AT PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP LUNCHEON AND AT CIVIC
RECEPTION, BOTH REPLIES STRESSING FAMILIAR THEMES FRIENDSHIP
AND ASIAN-AFRICAN SOLIDARITY AGAINST "IMPERIALISM AND OLD
AND NEW COLONIALISM" BUT WITHOUT REFERENCE KASHMIR. IN
INFORMAL TALK WITH CORRESPONDENTS AT PAK-CHINA FRIENDSHIP
ASSN. LUNCHEON, CHEN YI QUOTED AS SAYING "WE MADE A RUSSIAN
HELICOPTER COME DOWN AT NEFA AND SENT A PHOTO COPY THEREOF
TO RUSSIAN RULERS."

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IN ANSWERING ANOTHER QUESTION CHEN YI REPORTEDLY SAID "WHEN
STALIN WAS ALIVE KHRUSHCHEV USED TO CALL HIM AS HIS FATHER
BUT AFTER HIS DEATH HE STARTED MUD SLINGING AT THE GREAT
LEADER OF COMMUNISM". HOWEVER, CHEN YI SAID TO HAVE REAFFIRMED
CHINESE PEOPLES' "DEEP AND ABIDING FRIENDSHIP AND SOLIDARITY
WITH PEOPLE OF RUSSIA."

3. CHOU'S SPEECH AT GOVERNOR'S BANQUET ASIDE FROM USUAL
THEMES, TOOK NOTE OF SIGNIFICANCE JOINT COMMUNIQUE.
EARLIER IN SPEECH OF WELCOME WEST PAK GOVERNOR ALLUDED TO
STATEMENT ON KASHMIR IN COMMUNIQUE SAYING "I NEED NOT
COMMENT ON THE IMPORTANCE OF THAT STATEMENT. IT IS THE PRO-
NOUNCEMENT OF A GREAT POWER."

4. FOR CHOU SPEECH TO PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY CONGEN LAHORE
REPORTED ONLY HALF MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY PRESENT DESPITE GOVT
ROUNDUP ABSENTEES. SPEECH WAS WELL RECEIVED REPLAY OF
FAMILIAR THEMES, WITH REFERENCE TO WORDING COMMUNIQUE ON
QUESTION OF KASHMIR IN THAT PROBLEM SHOULD BE SETTLED IN
ACCORDANCE "WITH WISHES OF PEOPLE OF KASHMIR." DEPARTURE
FOR AIRPORT AGAIN MARKED BY RATHER SPARSE CROWDS ALONG MALL
WITH PREDOMINANCE OF SCHOOL CHILDREN BEARING PROPER
FLAGS AND SCHOOL BANDS IN FESTIVE MOOD.
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5. STATEMENT ON KASHMIR IN COMMUNIQUE APPEARS TO HAVE TRIGGERED
NEW WARMTH TO VISIT, BOTH PRESS REPORTS FROM CONGEN LAHORE
AND DACCA AND COMMENTS ACCOMPANYING US NEWSMEN, INDICATING
THIS CHANGE. AMERICAN JOURNALISTS REPORT CHOU VERY HAPPY
WITH TALKS RAWALPINDI AND BELIEVE HE HAD ACCOMPLISHED
GREAT DEAL. NEWSMEN MUCH IMPRESSED BY CHOU'S
WARMTH AND EXPANSIVENESS.

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PRESS REPORTS CHICOM CONSULATE GENERAL MANDALAY CLOSING FEB 29. NO REASON GIVEN. EMB BELIEVES RGUB REQUESTED CLOSURE BECAUSE CONGEN PROPAGANDA AND OTHER ACTIVITIES (POSSIBLY INCLUDING LINKS WITH WHITE FLAG URGENTS) EXCEEDED LIMITS BURMESE TOLERANCE. EMB REASONING BASED ON FOLLOWING:

1. DURING CHOU EN-LAI VISIT LAST WEEK, VANGUARD EDITOR THEIN PE MYINT PRINTED OPEN LETTER THROUGH CHOU TO WF LEADER CFN 543 70 177 71 25 4PM 521 537 29 NO RGUB 1 THEIN PE MYINT WF

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BA THEIN TIN, NOW IN PEKING, ACCUSING CHICOMS OF DIRECTING WF REBELS. THEIN PE MYINT IS CLOSE TO RGUB AND WOULD NOT PRINT ARTICLE WITHOUT OFFICIAL APPROVAL.

"1 MANDALAY CONGEN OPENLY VIOLATED RGUB RESTRICTIONS ON PROPAGANDA ACTIVITIES OF FOREIGN MISSIONS BY SHOWING MOVIES AND DISTRIBUTING BURMESE LANGUAGE PAMPHLETS PRINTED IN PEKING. EMB POINTED OUT THESE VIOLATIONS IN JULY AND ON FEB 13, 1964 PRESENTED FONOFF WITH WRITTEN RECORD FURTHER VIOLATIONS. PROTEST MAY WELL HAVE COME AFTER RGUB HAD REQUESTED CLOSURE.

3. FOLLOWING EMB PROTEST TO FONOFF DECISION OVER VICIOUS ARTICLE ON OCCASION PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S DEATH IN CHICOM-CONTROLLED

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COMMUNIQUE, ACCORDING MEA SPOKESMAN FEB 24; PAKISTAN AND CHINA
HAVE BOTH COMMITTED AGGRESSION ON INDIA AND "IT IS BUT NATURAL
THAT THE CHINESE SHOULD SUPPORT PAKISTAN."

ACCORDING PRESS, SPOKESMAN ALSO SAID THAT "DURING LAST TWO
YEARS CHINA HAS BEEN SUPPORTING PAKISTAN ON ALL ISSUES AND BY
IMPLICATION ON KASHMIR ISSUE TOO." ASKED TO COMMENT ON BHUTTO
REMARK THAT CHINA'S STAND ON KASHMIR WAS "ADVANCED" OVER ITS
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PREVIOUS POSITION, SPOKESMAN REPORTEDLY SAID GOI "NOT IMPRESSED
WITH WHAT BHUTTO SAYS," ADDING THAT BHUTTO HAD BEEN SAYING
THAT USSR HAD SHIFTED ITS STAND IN SECURITY COUNCIL DEBATE WHEN
IN FACT THERE HAD BEEN NO CHANGE IN SOVIET STAND. RE
REFERENCE IN COMMUNIQUE TO ASCERTAINING WISHES OF PEOPLE OF KASHMIR
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Chou En-lai Visit

1. Chou En-lai Pakistan visit has come and gone without substantially altering character of Pakistani-Chinese Communist relations. On one hand, process of "normalization" continues primarily through some Chinese Communist encouragement on Kashmir and prospect left open, but indefinite, of Ayub visit to Peiping. On other hand, tangible Pakistani-Chinese Communist ties have not been visibly broadened either in economic or cultural areas or, more important, in political realm and Bhutto and then Ayub during visit have taken occasion to reaffirm publicly Pakistan's adherence to western alliances.

2. Public handling of visit has generally followed scenario of "normal courtesies" accorded major foreign guest. Pakistanis have avoided effusive, excessively warm demonstrations but have made sure that ceremonies appropriate and not too sparsely attended. Chou has been given good press but excesses of DAWN's February 18 arrival editorial have subsequently been avoided. Chou's public exposure has

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been circumscribed with relatively small public receptions limited to selected guest lists. Opportunities for mass rabble-rousing were not afforded. Public reaction has grown warmer, however, following issuance of communique with its indication of measure of Chinese Communist support on Kashmir. General impression is lack of broad spontaneous enthusiasm for Chinese Communists such as evoked by visits major western leaders, and deliberate GOP effort to assure good but not excessive crowd turnout and response.

3. On substantive side, main developments in visit -- as publicly manifested -- were:

- A) Anticipated emphasis on Afro-Asian theme on part both Pakistanis and Chinese Communists was manifested in both public pronouncements and communique. Second Bandung conference was, of course, strongly endorsed.
- B) Pakistanis reiterated support for Chinese Communist representation in UN. Chinese also pushed hard on "one-China" theme but received no clear support from Pakistanis. In fact, Ayub press conference made point of describing US commitment to Taiwan as "honorable".
- C) Tone of both speeches and communique was mild. There was apparently calculated effort to avoid invective and direct frontal attacks on either India or US.
- D) Ayub and Bhutto press conferences occasioned clear and positive reaffirmation western ties. In particular, Bhutto statements on US relations and CENTO-SEATO were strongest and least equivocal endorsements in many months.
- E) Only new developments to emerge were Chinese Communist support on Kashmir and Ayub acceptance of visit to Peiping. We suspect that this may have been quid pro quo deal, which involved hedging on both sides. Language of communique indicates

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Chinese may not have gone all the way on Kashmir, having deliberately avoided use of precise traditional term "self-determination" which might get them in trouble closer to home and having refrained from specific support of past UN resolutions on Kashmir. Ayub, on other hand, avoided any commitment to visit Communist China at specific time.

F) Finally, given range of actions open to Pakistanis and Chinese Communists, it noteworthy that no specific agreements signed or even forecast in communique.

4. In addition, there is possibility secret understandings were reached between Pakistanis and Chinese Communists, particularly on Kashmir, but we have no evidence of this now and have doubts that Chinese Communists would give Pakistanis any further commitments in this respect.

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USIA 5. From Chinese Communist viewpoint, main accomplishment
NSC of visit was to preserve foothold in Pakistan which is based
INR on current transitory coincidence of Pakistani-Chinese
CIA Communist interests re India and Bandung conference. Small
NSA price paid by Chinese Communists was to move position on
OSD Kashmir vaguely away from past neutrality, which gained
ARMY them immediate dividends. Chinese Communists also left
NAVY clear image of moderate, "peaceful" posture.

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NIC 6. For Pakistanis main dividend of visit was, of course,
RMR signing up another supporter on Kashmir. They probably
concluded price paid -- possible Ayub visit to Peiping --
was nominal.

7. From US viewpoint, a noticeable feature was continued
Pakistani consciousness of US reaction. Throughout visit
there were repeated evidences that Pakistanis were looking
over their shoulders and tailoring visit to estimated levels
of US toleration. Visit leaves us largely where we were in
terms both Pakistani-Chinese Communist relations and Pakistani
ties with west. Improvement in Chinese Communist image in
Pakistan through position taken on Kashmir is to be balanced

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against manifestations of Pakistani desire to set limitations on relationship with Chinese Communists tolerable to us.

8. As could have been expected, Pakistani-Indian relations may suffer from Chou visit. First Indian comment to us here has been, in our view, excessively gloomy, particularly as reaction to Chinese switch on Kashmir. Indian High Commissioner Parthasarathi views juxtaposition of Sino-Indian dispute and Pakistani-Indian dispute in same paragraph as clear indication of plans for Pakistani-Chinese Communist collusion and squeeze against India. He told me visit has made impossible Pakistani-Indian talks at present on any problems, including communal question, and that principle of "self-determination" for Kashmir a mere high-sounding phrase which would not influence GOI. He indicated Indian willingness give Pakistanis minor "concessions" on Kashmir would be further reduced or delayed for months as result visit. We trust such reaction not symptomatic of whole Indian Government. While fact of visit per se and new Chinese position on Kashmir obviously distasteful to Indians, it would be useful if they could see visit in more objective perspective. As long as GOI remains adamant on Kashmir, Indians could hardly expect Pakistanis not to exploit opportunity of Chou visit to seek maximum possible Chinese Communist support on Kashmir.

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OF SELF DETERMINATION RE KASHMIR, BHUTTO REPLIED THAT LANGUAGE OF COMMUNIQUE WAS CLEAR AND REQUIRES NO FURTHER INTERPRETATION. BHUTTO EXPRESSED VIEW THAT THE COMMUNIQUE WAS ADVANCEMENT ON LAST PRONOUNCEMENT MADE BY CHICOM GOVT ON QUESTION OF KASHMIR AT END BHUTTO VISIT TO PEIPING IN MARCH 1963.
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3. EMBOFF RAWALPINDI REPORTED THAT REACTION THERE TO CHOU HAS BEEN "CORRECT, FRIENDLY, HOSPITABLE." ARCHES, DECORATIONS ALONG ROUTE FROM AIRPORT TO GUEST HOUSE SLIGHTLY MORE NUMEROUS THAN FOR INDONESIAN PRESIDENT BUT NOT AS ELABORATE. AYUB PLAYED GOLF WITH USUAL FOURSOME ON BOTH FEB 21 AND 22.

4. FOREIGN PRESS COMMENT TO EMBOFFS IN RAWALPINDI AND KARACHI FOLLOWED SIMILAR LINES. CORRESPONDENTS BELIEVED THAT GOP PLAYING VISIT IN LOW KEY AND BELIEVE THAT FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES VISIT WAS OVER WHEN CHINESE DEPARTED RAWALPINDI. THEY CONVINCED GOP WILL PREVENT ANY UNUSUAL ACTIVITIES IN EAST PAKISTAN. THEY NOTED GOP HANDLING PUBLIC APPEARANCES CHOU AND PARTY GAVE CHICOMS EXTREMELY LIMITED OPPORTUNITY ENHANCE THEIR PUBLIC IMAGE. ACCORDING TO AMERICAN PRESSMEN, AYUB DINNER FOR CHOU WAS VERY SMALL WITH ONLY ABOUT 14 PEOPLE ATTENDING. KASHMIR THEME ALSO STRESSED IN PINDI WELCOMING SIGNS FOR CHOU WITH KASHMIRI GROUPS, ACCORDING PRESS, URGING CHICOM SUPPORT FOR SELF DETERMINATION.
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5. INITIAL COMMENT DIPLOMATIC CORPS HERE IS THAT CHOU VISIT BEING HANDLED MODERATELY BY PAKS. ABSENCE LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS OR FRONTAL ATTACKS ON US AND INDIA PARTICULARLY NOTED BY MEMBERS DIPLOMATIC CORPS. UK HICOM JAMES AND AUSTRALIAN HICOM MCNICOL SEPARATELY MENTIONED THEIR IMPRESSION THAT PAKS HAD HEEDED ADVICE NOT TO GIVE CHOU PLUSH RED CARPET TREATMENT.

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(In view of Chou en LAI's visit to East Pakistan, it was felt a recap of his previous visit in December, 1956 might be of interest.)

The Government of Pakistan pulled out all the stops in its welcome of Chou en Lai. He was met at the airport by an enthusiastic crowd estimated at 50,000. He passed down the road from the airport under a series of decorated arches. He was feted at a mass public meeting at Dacca Stadium reportedly attended by a lakh of people, at a civic reception in his honor, and at a cultural function in Gulistan Hall.

A review of the Consulate's reporting on the visit and of Ittefaq's editions around the time of the visit discloses that the visit was given liberal space by the Dacca press. (The ConGen effort to get back editions of the other Bengali dailies yielded nothing either because the paper did not keep file copies as far back as eight years or could not locate them.) In his various public utterances, the honored guest played on the safe themes of the need for closer Sino-Pak friendship despite economic and social divergencies, Afro-Asian unity and peace. He issued appropriate warnings against colonialism and imperialism and asserted that both Pakistan and China disapproved of antagonistic military blocs which were aimed at disrupting Afro-Asian unity.

From the comments of his mouthpiece Ittefaq, then head of state H. S. SUHRAWARDY was somewhat concerned that Chou's visit was construed by some as foreshadowing a shift in Pakistan's foreign policy away from the Western alliance and toward neutralism inspite of his statement to reporters that this was not so. Conversely, Chou had problems avoiding newsmen's questions on his views on the Kashmir issue and their attempt to extract from him a response supporting Pakistan's position.

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One Ittefaq analysis of the visit endeavored to undercut the tendency to give Chou's presence deep significance by depicting it as a necessary corollary of the democratic policy of the Suhrawardy administration; i.e. extending the hand of friendship to all nations. Had not this visit been arranged, the people of Pakistan would think that they were denied a chance to know their neighbor because Pakistan was a member of the Western Bloc.

The paper further opined that the visit was actually a crucial lift for Chou because the Russian leaders then visiting India had backed the GOI stand on Kashmir and had attacked Pakistan. The paper acknowledged, that at time of writing, Chou had said nothing about Kashmir but it expected that he would after due consideration. (Eventually, when pressed by the reporters, Chou would go no farther than to say that he was studying the issue.)

Ittefaq's commentator MUSAFIR devoted several columns to correcting misapprehensions of the meaning of the visit. He dismissed the expense and effort that the Government had invested in the massive reception for Chou by writing that it was no more than an indication of the liberalism of Pakistan's national character and the warmth of Pakistan's hospitality. The policy of Pakistan was clearly stated -- that is still pro-Western.

Musafir replied to unidentified critics of the visit by pointing out that Suhrawardy was not a "revolutionary" and would not do anything harmful to the country. Elliptically he noted that Suhrawardy was an "expert hunter". The bullet has been fired. "Let us see how many birds are killed."

Subsequently, Musafir devoted a column to criticism of Communism in general and with particular reference to Soviet policies of repression. He also emphasized that there was no freedom of speech under Communism.

Comment

Even taking into consideration strenuous Government efforts to insure a mass welcome for Chou (estimates of GOP expenditures were set at Rs. 500,000), the warmth of the greeting given Chou by the people of East Pakistan had a depth and a sincerity that impressed observers.

It can be argued that in his handling the visit, Suhrawardy was carrying water on both shoulders. He was responsible for it but he also did not object to Bhashani's occupying the spotlight a good part of the time. The Maulana shared the center of the stage at the airport where he and Chou embraced, and occupied a place of prominence at all the ceremonies during the visit.

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FEBRUARY 21:

QUESTION: WOULD YOU LIKE TO TELL US PURPOSE OF CHOU EN-LAIS VISIT;
PRESIDENT: CHOU EN-LAIS VISIT IS FRIENDLY VISIT TO PAKISTAN. OUR
FOREIGN MINISTER WENT TO CHINA SOMETIME AGO AND CHOU EN-LAI AND
FOREIGN MINISTER WERE INVITED. SO IT IS FRIENDLY VISIT. WE ALL
VISIT EACH OTHER; THE WORLD IS ON MOVE. THAT IS PATTERN OF LIFE.
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WE ARE NEIGHBOURS. WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DEMARCAT PORTIONS OF OUR
BOUNDARY WHICH WAS UNDEMARCATED. A FEW OTHER THINGS DURING LAST FEW
YEARS HAVE HAPPENED.

IN WAY, IT IS GOODWILL VISIT AS WELL AS CONSOLIDATION OF OUR
NEIGHBOURLY RELATIONS.

QUESTION: ANY CONCLUSION SO FAR?
PRESIDENT: NOT REALLY; OUR DISCUSSIONS SO FAR HAVE RELATED TO
EVENTS WHICH HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN WORLD, ESPECIALLY TROUBLE THAT HAS
ARISEN BETWEEN CHINA AND INDIA, AND ALSO, WE SAY CLASH OF INTERESTS
---AMERICANS AND CHINESE INTERESTS---IN SOUTH-EAST ASIA. IT IS
MOSTLY THE NARRATION OF EVENTS WHICH ARE WELL-KNOWN.

ONE THING HAS EMERGED CLEARLY AND THAT IS THAT CHINESE ARE PREPARED

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AND HIS PARTY WERE ACCORDED WARM RECEPTION EVERYWHERE.

PRIME MINISTER HAD FRIENDLY EXCHANGE OF VIEWS WITH PRESIDENT OF PAKISTAN. THEIR DISCUSSIONS COVERED GENERAL INTERNATIONAL SITUATION AND NEED FOR SAFEGUARDING WORLD PEACE AND, IN THAT CONTEXT IMPORTANCE OF ACHIEVING GENERAL DISARMAMENT, INCLUDING TOTAL PROHIBITION AND DESTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. THEY ALSO REVIEWED RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS REGION AND ARRIVED AT A FULLER UNDERSTANDING OF MATTERS OF COMMON INTEREST OF TWO COUNTRIES.

P. PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT FACT THAT RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES HAD DEVELOPED FURTHER SINCE THE PRIME MINISTERS LAST VISIT TO PAKISTAN IN 1956, PARTICULARLY SINCE SIGNING OF PAKISTAN-CHINA BOUNDARY AGREEMENT IN MARCH 1963. THEY AGREED THAT FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN THEM SHOULD CONTINUE WITHIN FRAMEWORK OF TEN PRINCIPLES OF PEACE ENUNCIATED AT BANGHUR.

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CHOU VISIT.

HEAD OF MEA PUBLICITY DIVISION GAVE EMBASSY OFFICER FOLLOWING
INFORMATION ON VISIT TO CEYLON OF CHICOM PRIME MINISTER CHOU
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(1) ARRIVE RATMALANA AIRPORT (NEAR COLOMBO) FEBRUARY 26 2:10
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ING MADAME SOONG, VICE CHAIRMAN OF CHINESE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC.
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WITH PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE ON FEBRUARY 27, 28 AND 29,
DURING LAST ONE OF WHICH JOINT COMMUNIQUE TO BE SIGNED. CHOU'S
ONLY SCHEDULED ABSENCE FROM COLOMBO TO BE VISIT TO HORAGALLA
(LOCATION OF S.W.R.D. BANDARANAIKE TOMB).

(2) PERMANENT SECRETARY MEA, N. Q. DIAS, ON FEBRUARY 22 GAVE
EDITORS OF DAILY PRESS BACKGROUND BRIEFING ON UPCOMING NON-ALIGN-
ED CONFERENCE AND CHOU VISIT. WITH REGARD TO LATTER, PERMANENT
SECRETARY SAID AGENDA NOT YET COMPLETED BUT HE PRESUMED THAT
FOLLOWING TOPICS WOULD BE AMONG ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED: SINO-
INDIAN BORDER DISPUTE (PRIME MINISTER BANDARANAIKE VERY ANXIOUS
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TWO COUNTRIES BE REMOVED); CULTURAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS,
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FROM : Amembassy Conakry

DATE: February 24, 1964

SUBJECT: A Footnote to a Footnote to History (and Chou en-Lai's
Return Visit to Mali)REF : Bamako's A-169 to Department
GERP: Section D

The referenced airgram may possibly be true. However, Mr. Eddie Kruffy, KLM representative in Conakry, tells the story of Chou's return visit to Bamako in a different way. Kruffy told the reporting officer:

1) It was the Chinese who, because of their almost fanatic search for security for the person of Chou, rejected the available 70 plus barrels of fuel because the oil was over four years old, and because the barrels in some cases had been opened and improperly re-sealed. Even though KLM sent samples of the oil to Amsterdam, and the analysis showed the fuel was uncontaminated, the Chinese hesitated and finally refused altogether to use it.

2) Inasmuch as no other fuel was available in Conakry, the first Chicom chartered DC-7 which was practically empty (Chou's flag ship) had to be fueled en route - and what better place than Bamako? The second chartered DC-7 which had come down from Holland a week previous, refueled in Dakar. It accordingly made no stop after leaving Conakry and flew directly on to Khartoum.

3) Because of the afore-mentioned security measures taken by the Chicoms and their fear that a day-time return to Bamako for fueling would necessitate a new "stake-out" of the airport, Chou departed Conakry at 0001 in the morning of January 27 so as to arrive in Bamako in the dead of the night with the smallest attention and the greatest surprise possible.

For the Ambassador:
Donald E. Herdeck
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Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: February 24, 1964.

SUBJECT: Kashmir; Chou Visit to Pakistan.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Ilter Turkmen, Counselor, Embassy of the Republic of Turkey
Mr. Turner C. Cameron, Jr., Director, Office of South Asian Affairs (SOA)
Mr. Harold G. Josif, Officer in Charge, Pakistan-Afghanistan Affairs (SOA)

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Mr. Turkmen called at his request and said that he wanted to discuss U.S.-Pakistan relations, principally as affected by the Kashmir issue and the Chou En-lai visit to Pakistan.

Regarding Kashmir, he indicated that he had been asked to relay some information obtained by the Turkish Embassy at Karachi several weeks ago, and that he had not had time to see us about the matter until now. The Turkish Ambassador at Karachi had had a chat with Foreign Minister Bhutto about Pakistan's referral of the Kashmir issue to the Security Council. In essence, Bhutto had said: (1) the Soviet position on Kashmir showed signs of becoming somewhat "more favorable" to Pakistan, though not enough to "support" Pakistan's position yet; (2) the GOP knew that the U.S. and U.K. were opposed to a referral to the Security Council, and this was why the GOP had not consulted with either the British or the Americans before deciding to take the step; he hoped, nevertheless, that the U.S. and U.K. would support Pakistan's position in the Council's consideration of the issue.

Mr. Cameron said that it was correct that we had opposed the referral of Kashmir to the Security Council. Communal tensions were high in both India and Pakistan as a result of disturbances following the theft of a sacred relic in Srinagar. We felt that friends of Pakistan and India should urge moderation on both sides, and that a public debate in the Council at that time was the wrong way to reduce tensions. Mr. Turkmen said that he had the impression that the

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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

1. FIRST DAY CHOU EN-LAI VISIT RAWALPINDI INCLUDED WELCOMING CEREMONY AT AIRPORT NOON FEB 20 WHERE CHOU MET BY PRES AYUB; OFFICIAL PROCESSION FROM AIRPORT TO PRESIDENT'S GUEST HOUSE; A TWO AND HALF HOUR TALK WITH AYUB, AND DINNER HOSTED BY AYUB.
2. SECOND DAY AT RAWALPINDI INCLUDED FURTHER TALKS WITH AYUB. VISIT TO ISLAMABAD, AND DINNER HOSTED BY FOMIN BHUTTO.
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3. PRES AYUB IN SHORT WELCOMING SPEECH AT AIRPORT NOTED HISTORIC TIES OF FRIENDSHIP THAT HAVE ALWAYS EXISTED BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES AND HOPED THAT CHOU'S VISIT WOULD HELP TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN RELATIONS BETWEEN THEM. CHOU REPLIED NOTING THAT HE BELIEVED HIS TALKS WITH AYUB WOULD ACHIEVE POSITIVE RESULTS AND FURTHER ENHANCE MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING AND FRIENDLY COOPERATION BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES. HE DESCRIBED STAY IN KARACHI AS UNFORGETTABLE AND NOTED "CHINESE PEOPLE WILL HURRY FORWARD TO SHOULDER WITH PAKISTAN PEOPLE IN STRUGGLE TO PROMOTE ASIAN AFRICAN SOLIDARITY AND DEFEND WORLD PEACE."

4. EXCHANGE OF TOASTS BY AYUB AND CHOU AT AYUB DINNER FEB 20 REPORTEDLY STRESSED AFRO-ASIAN THEME, WITH AYUB REITERATING PAK SUPPORT FOR COMMIE CHINA'S UN MEMBERSHIP.

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5. ACCORDING PRESS, FIRST ROUND OF TALKS WITH AYUB CONFINED ESSENTIALLY TO EXCHANGE OF VIEWS WITHOUT TOUCHING SPECIFIC ISSUES. SECOND ROUND OF TALKS FEB 21 REPORTEDLY MAINLY DEVOTED TO SINO-INDIAN TENSION. LAST ROUND OF TALKS SCHEDULED FOR FEB 22 AFTER WHICH BOTH LEADERS EXPECTED TO ISSUE JOINT COMMUNIQUE.

6. PRESS REPORTED BOTH LEADERS IN AGREEMENT ON NEED FOR ANOTHER BANDUNG-TYPE CONFERENCE.

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SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

As suggested in the cable under reference, Communist Chinese Premier Chou En-lai, accompanied by Foreign Minister Chen Yi, probably went to Africa with high hopes of 1) helping break out of China's isolation and projecting an image of the CPR as a great power led by responsible, moderate leaders who were now prepared to have their country assume a more active role in world affairs; 2) countering Soviet influence in Africa by posing as a stronger and more faithful supporter of national liberation struggles and by offering limited amounts of additional economic aid; 3) mustering support for a second Bandung Conference and heading off another Belgrade Conference; 4) promoting support for Peiping's stand in the Sino-Indian border dispute; and 5) extending invitations to visit the CPR to African heads of state.

While Hong Kong cannot presume to appraise the impact Chou actually made during his tour of Africa, one criterion for appraising Chinese Communist success (or lack of it) is found in the joint communiques, in which Chou most likely would have sought to gain maximum acceptance of Chinese Communist views. On that basis we judge that Chou's tour was less successful than Peiping had anticipated. Peiping did break out of its isolation in the sense that (concurrently with his visit, but not solely because of it) five countries granted her diplomatic recognition. Chou visited ten African countries, the most extensive such tour by a top Chinese Communist ever made. But on specific issues, Chou appears to have been much less successful. Support for CPR entry into the UN was not coupled with equivalent support for Peiping's claim to Taiwan.

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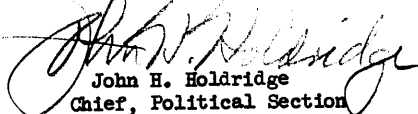
Support for a second Bandung Conference was generally lukewarm and given without a sense of urgency. No clear-cut endorsement of Peiping's stand in the Sino-Indian border dispute was forthcoming. And Chou's tour ended abruptly as insurrections in Tanganyika, Uganda, and Kenya had to be put down by British troops and Zanzibar appeared to have become a base from which Communist subversion of African governments could be launched. Rumors of Chinese Communist involvement in both developments, whether true or not, served to unsettle his prospective East African hosts and may have curbed nascent efforts to extend the Chinese Communist presence to this part of the continent.

From an analysis of the communiques, issue by issue, we conclude that:

- a) Chou's greatest success was on the question of Chinese representation in the UN where he elicited unequivocal support from seven of the ten countries visited; even though none were new adherents of this position, the reaffirmation of their support at this time has political utility; ^{although} b) on opposition to "two Chinas," he gained no equivalent support on the issue of CPR's claim to Taiwan, which only four countries upheld;
- c) on the Sino-Indian border dispute, Chou failed to gain any clearcut endorsement of the Chinese position to the detriment of the Indian case, and in six communiques the matter was not even mentioned; d) Chou developed much support for a second Bandung-style Afro-Asian Conference, but it was given without a sense of urgency and may have been in large part lip service;
- e) "anti-imperialism" commanded a large measure of general support, but only Ghana and Mali followed up with support for an "anti-imperialist" united front; and f) no communique mentioned additional CPR economic assistance, although Ghana appears to have been given a promise of such, and only four countries talked of making efforts to increase trade and economic cooperation.

More broadly and beyond the terms of this analysis, Peiping probably adjudged the tour a success. Editorials on Chou's return talked of an increase in Chinese knowledge of Africa and a strengthened comradeship-in-arms. In terms of future contacts the tour was very successful; seven heads of state accepted invitations to visit the CPR. How lasting an impact Chou made on his host countries is, however, another question and one that cannot be answered from Hong Kong.

For the Acting Principal Officer:


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Chief, Political Section

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Analysis of Communiques Between CPR and African Countries

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ANALYSIS OF COMMUNIQUEES BETWEEN CPR AND AFRICAN COUNTRIES
ACCORDING TO PRINCIPAL ISSUES DISCUSSED

1. Chinese Representation in the UN

The CPR received its strongest backing on the restoration of its "legitimate rights" in the UN when Somalia reaffirmed its intention of "pursuing the issue until it is settled." Equally forceful but less operational was Ghana's support for restoration of China's "legitimate rights and position" in the UN "as an indispensable requisite" for its proper functioning. Guinea reaffirmed "in the interest of the Chinese people and also of justice and world peace" its "unconditional" support for restoration of the CPR's "legitimate prerogatives and rights," not only in the UN but also in "all its specialized organs." Only a step behind was Ethiopia with its view that the legitimate rights of the CPR must be "reinstated" if the UN is to fulfill "effectively" its mission. In the Sudan President Abboud expressed the belief that the "Chinese people" must be represented in the UN to enable it to fulfill its "whole" mission and pointed out that the Sudan had on a number of occasions denounced efforts to deprive the CPR of its "legitimate rights" in the UN. The UAR acted similarly, and expressed its conviction that remedying this "erroneous situation" would provide a "solid foundation" for upholding the principles of the Charter and for increasing the UN's effectiveness. The communiques with Algeria, Morocco, and Tunisia did not mention this topic.

2. A Second Afro-Asian (Bandung) Conference

The strongest support for a second Afro-Asian Conference came from Ghana which considered it "necessary" and that "active preparations should be made to convene it." Ethiopia, Guinea, Somalia, and Sudan felt the time was ripe for convening such a conference, and except Ethiopia all said "active preparations should be made to this end." Mali endorsed the idea of a conference and expressed a determination to work for its success. On the other hand, Algeria, Morocco, and Tunisia did not even mention the topic in their communiques, and the UAR merely stated its determination to continue to work for the preservation of the Bandung spirit.

3. Sino-Indian Border

No nation expressed support for the Chinese Communist position of direct negotiations without preconditions. The matter was not specifically mentioned in the communiques with Algeria, Ethiopia, Mali, Morocco, Somalia, and Tunisia. Guinea merely "listened with interest" to the Chinese account of its efforts to "ease the situation" and expressed the hope that China and India would start direct negotiations as soon as possible in order to seek a "fair and reasonable" settlement of the dispute. More optimistically, confidence and hope in the possibility of a peaceful settlement were expressed by Ghana, the Sudan and the UAR after the situation was "discussed at length" with Ghana, "reviewed" with the Sudan, and "reviewed in detail" with the UAR. Both Ghana and the Sudan noted an improvement in the situation along the border, but the UAR apparently did not, for no such statement appeared in its communique.

4. Recognition of Peiping

Tunisia agreed to strengthen friendship and develop economic relations and

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to exchange visits. "To this end" it was decided that diplomatic relations would be established. In Ethiopia agreement was reached on the taking of measures to strengthen relations including the "normalization" of relations "in the near future." The impression of a rapid improvement in Peiping's international position is greater when it is recalled that during the time Chou was in Africa Peiping also established relations with Burundi, Kenya, and Zanzibar.

5. Opposition to "Two Chinas"

The CPR succeeded in eliciting statements of support for its claim to Taiwan only from Ghana, Guinea, Mali and the UAR. Ghana objected to any attempt being made to create "two Chinas." Guinea supported the "just struggle" for national sovereignty, territorial integrity and "complete unification" of the country, while Mali deleted the reference to complete unification. The UAR upheld the CPR's "right" to recover Taiwan.

The topic was not mentioned in the communiques with Algeria, Ethiopia, Morocco, Somalia, Sudan, and Tunisia. The implication is that, for various reasons, these nations were unwilling to commit themselves to Peiping's position on the matter at that time.

6. Anti-Imperialism

The staunchest support for the CPR position on the dangers of "imperialism" and colonialism and the need for a broad international front came from Ghana. Ghana claimed that the "greatest danger facing mankind" emanated from imperialism, colonialism, and neo-colonialism, and saw no lasting peace in prospect unless a resolute struggle were waged against the imperialist policies of aggression and war. The two sides agreed that "all anti-colonialist movements in the world" should close ranks and wage a united struggle.

Among the efforts to be increased for the sake of defending world peace, Mali mentioned inter alia the combating of imperialism and colonialism "in all forms." Mali also helpfully urged the peoples of Africa, Asia, and Latin America to mobilize their forces against neo-colonialism. The UAR discussed the matter in the greatest detail, calling the fight against imperialism the "foremost common task" of the Afro-Asian nations and identifying imperialism and colonialism as the source of the threats to world peace and of international tension. But the CPR's call for a broad united front received only lukewarm support in that the UAR called for the people of Africa, Asia, and the world only to "unite more closely in a resolute struggle." Guinea held that combating imperialism, colonialism, and neo-colonialism was the "most urgent task" but it said nothing about a united front. Algeria regarded colonialism and neo-colonialism as still a menace to newly-liberated countries, thought it necessary to struggle against them but issued no call for a united front. In the Sudan both parties held that there will be no peace unless the "direct source" of world war, imperialism, is eliminated, but again apparently no concrete steps to that end were agreed on. In Somalia both leaders affirmed their determination to intensify efforts to

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completely liquidate Africa of imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism in all their manifestations. They also agreed that military bases on the continents of Africa and Asia constituted a serious threat to "international peace and understanding" and they would "press vigorously" for the removal of such bases.

Far less strong was Morocco's agreement that the common struggle against under-development was "inseparable" from the struggle against neo-colonialism. Ethiopia and Tunisia did not even discuss the matter of imperialism in their communiques.

7. Disarmament and Denuclearization

All ten African countries favored a total ban on nuclear weapons and all except Somalia favored general disarmament. Most of them wanted Africa to become a nuclearized zone and got CPR support on this point. No communique mentioned the Moscow Tripartite Treaty, and the closest approximation to approval of it came in Tunisia's support for "any initiative" to relax international tensions. Ghana was closer to Peiping's position but supported the Chinese Communist call for a world conference as being "beneficial" only "if it could be convened"--an unlikely condition.

8. Economic Aid and Trade

In no country did Chou announce additional CPR economic assistance. But Ghanaian Ambassador to Peiping Meyer later told the press in Hong Kong (ConGen Tel 1401) that Chou had agreed to grant Ghana an additional £8 million credit. The communique had carried no reference to this development, merely noting with satisfaction that "significant achievements" had been made in the promotion of "mutual friendly relations."

The most specific statement came in the communique with the UAR where the two sides decided to "take measures" aimed at further broadening economic cooperation and "trade contact." Less concretely it was decided with the Sudan and Ethiopia to "make efforts" to expand economic cooperation and trade, and with Guinea to make "every effort" to further develop "fruitful cooperation in all spheres." More warmly but even less specifically, the CPR and Mali rejoiced in the "happy results" achieved in "all spheres" (of cooperation, presumably), and after listing, for the first and only time, Peiping's eight principles for economic and technical assistance they decided to "do the utmost" to further consolidate and develop friendly relations.

In Somalia the leaders merely exchanged views on ways and means to increase economic relations. In Morocco the talks covered the prospects for friendly cooperation in the economic and technical fields and the desire was expressed to extend this cooperation to other fields "where concrete and practical results can be produced." Tunisia simply agreed vaguely to "develop economic relations." Curiously, Algeria mentioned neither aid nor economic and trade relations.

9. Afro-Asian Representation in the UN

Chou restated CPR support for increased Afro-Asian representation on UN organs in Ghana, Guinea, and Somalia; in Somalia the support was "unequivocal."

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Ghana and Guinea, probably still recalling the controversy in the UNGA over the point, got Chou to reaffirm that this question should not be linked with that of Chinese representation. In Mali the CPR gave support "without any reserve or pre-condition" but only for "equitable" Afro-Asian representation in the principal UN organs. The matter was not mentioned in the communiques with Algeria, Ethiopia, Morocco, Sudan, Tunisia and the UAR.

10. Invitations to Visit the CPR

Invitations to visit the CPR were accepted by the Heads of State of Algeria, Ethiopia, Mali, Morocco, Somalia, Sudan and the UAR. Haile Selassie's visit will come after "normalization" of relations. President Abboud's visit is "forthcoming;" the others are to be made at a convenient time.

The topic was not mentioned in the communiques with Ghana (whose President Nkrumah visited in August 1961), Guinea (whose President Sekou Toure visited in September 1960), and Tunisia.

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USIA 1. CHOU EN-LAI'S TWO-DAY KARACHI VISIT FEB. 18-19
NSC CHARACTERIZED BY OFFICIAL CORRECTNESS, MODERATELY WARM BUT
INR NOT ENTHUSIASTIC PUBLIC RECEPTION AND ANTICIPATED POSTURES
CIA IN PUBLIC STATEMENTS BOTH SIDES. FIRST DAY CROWDS THAT
NSA WATCHED CAVALCADE TOURING FLAG-BEDECKED STREETS OF KARACHI
OSD WERE MODERATE AND REFLECTED INTEREST AND CURIOSITY IN SEEING
ARMY LEADER OF NEIGHBORING POWER. CHOU FIRST DAY VISITED JINNAH'S
NAVY TOMB, ATTENDED CIVIC RECEPTION AND SMALL DINNER HOSTED BY
AIR FINMIN SHOAI B. LIGHT SECOND DAY SCHEDULE KARACHI INCLUDED
NIC VISIT INDUSTRIAL AREA, NOON LUNCH HOSTED BY FOM MIN BHUTTO AN
RMR EVENING DINNER HOSTED BY AYUB.

CHOU DEPARTED FOR RAWALPINDI ON MORNING 20TH BY PRES. AYUB'S PLANE.

2. WELCOMING SPEECH AT AIRPORT BY SHOAI B BRIEF AND CORRECT. SHOAI B TOOK NOTE OF LONG HISTORICAL ASSOCIATIONS AND FACT THAT PAKISTAN ONE OF FIRST COUNTRIES RECOGNIZE CPR, CITED RECENT FURTHER IMPROVEMENT "FRIENDLY AND GOOD-NEIGHBORLY RELATIONS" AND EXPRESSED HOPE CHOU WOULD NOTICE PROGRESS IN PAK DEVELOPMENT SINCE CHOU'S LAST VISIT. FYI (SHOAI B HAD BEEN DIRECTED, TO HIS UNHAPPINESS, TO GREET CHOU SINCE HE WAS SENIOR MINISTER AVAILABLE.

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END FYI) CHOU'S REPLY NOTED GREAT CHANGE IN WORLD SITUATION SINCE LAST VISIT AND NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN RELATIONS BETWEEN PAKISTAN AND CHINA, CITING BORDER AGREEMENT AND INCREASED ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL EXCHANGES AS RESULT JOINT EFFORTS TWO GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLE. SPEECH ENDED ON NOTE OF HOPE THAT VISIT WOULD CONTRIBUTE TO STRENGTHENING SINO-PAK FRIENDSHIP AND ASIAN-AFRICA SOLIDARITY.

3.. AFTERNOON CIVIC RECEPTION CHARACTERIZED BY OBSERVERS AS LARGELY PERFUNCTORY PERFORMANCE. CEREMONY OPENED WITH READING FROM KORAN OF PASSAGE STRESSING IMPORTANCE FRIENDLY TIES EVEN WITH ONE'S ENEMY, WELCOME BY KARACHI MUNICIPALITY VICE CHAIRMAN, HABIBULLAH, WHO NOTED PAKISTAN'S "RESPECT FOR GOOD NEIGHBOURLY RIGHTS" AND HER RELIANCE ON UN CHARTER AND PRINCIPLES ENUNCIATED AT BANDUNG AND CITED CHICOM ACHIEVEMENTS AS "MESSAGE OF AWAKENING" FOR PEOPLES ASIA AND AFRICA. ONLY REFERENCE TO KASHMIR IN DAY'S PROCEEDINGS CAME IN HABIBULLAH'S OBSERVATION "WHAT ANNOYED THE PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN IS THAT DESPITE ALL FOREBEARANCE AND COOPERATION PUT FORTH BY PAKISTAN A SIMPLE AND STRAIGHT PROBLEM LIKE THAT OF KASHMIR HAS REMAINED UNRESOLVED FOR 16 LONG YEARS".

4. CHOU'S REPLY REITERATED IDEAS EXPRESSED IN SPEECH AT AIRPORT AND ENLARGED ON THEME LONG HISTORIC TIES AND GROWING FRIENDSHIP. CHOU EXPRESSED GRATITUDE FOR PAKISTAN'S SUPPORT FOR "RESTORATION OF CHINA'S LEGITIMATE RIGHT TO SEAT IN UN", AND PAKISTAN'S OPPOSITION TO "SCHEME OF CREATING TWO CHINAS". EMPHASIS PUT ON THEME OF UNITY ASIAN-AFRICAN PEOPLES AGAINST IMPERIALISM AND VIEW THAT MANY "ASIAN-AFRICAN COUNTRIES ARE OF OPINION THAT TIME IS RIPE FOR CONVENING SECOND ASIAN-AFRICAN CONFERENCE AND THAT PREPARATIONS SHOULD BE MADE FOR IT".

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Department believes Chou En Lai's visit to Africa might be of sufficient over-all interest to NATO members to warrant discussion in NAC, particularly in view SYG's recent initiative in seeking revitalized NATO political consultation. Purpose would be to ~~exchange~~ exchange views with other NATO countries in effort determine degree to which there is agreed assessment of what ChiComs got out of trip, how it will affect future relations between Africa and ChiComs, its impact on Soviet efforts in Africa and effect on Western position in Africa.

If you agree, you should advise SYG re our desire have this subject inscribed on March 4 agenda under Item I: "Statements on Political Subjects" and suggest he request other NATO members to contribute their assessments of visit. On the other hand, we recognize that USRO and other NATO dels might consider it more appropriate to discuss this subject in POLAD and, if you believe POLAD preferred forum, you should advise Hooper of our desire to discuss it in POLAD.

In either case, we plan to send guidance in self-contained message before end of month. If it is decided to discuss subject in NAC, we would also consider requesting Embassy to make available African specialist

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SINCE CHICOMS APPEAR TO BE STAGING MAJOR EFFORT CURRENTLY TO ESTABLISH LEADERSHIP AMONG AFRO-ASIAN NATIONS AND VISIT TO BURMA LEADS OFF CURRENT SERIES OF VISITS AMONG ASIAN COUNTRIES, EMBASSY IS MAKING PRELIMINARY REPORT BASIS NEWSPAPER ACCOUNTS WITHOUT AWAITING FURTHER DETAILS.

VISIT MODERATELY SUCCESSFUL ESTABLISHING IMAGE OF PEACEFUL CHINA HAVING CLOSE RACIAL AND CULTURAL TIES WITH BURMA AND SHARING SOME FUNDAMENTAL ASPIRATIONS.

AT DINNER ON EVENING OF ARRIVAL, NE WIN SAID BURMA WOULD CONTINUE PRESS FOR SEATING OF PEOPLE'S CHINA IN UN. CHOU STATED CHINESE GOVT AND PEOPLE RESPECT AND ACTIVELY SUPPORT BURMESE POLICY OF PEACE AND NEUTRALITY, CONGRATULATED BURMA ON MAJOR EFFORT "TO COMBAT IMPERIALIST, SUBVERSIVE SCHEMES, ERADICATE REMNANTS COLONIAL FORCES AND DEVELOP ITS ECONOMY." SPOKE OF "KINSMEN-LIKE BURMESE" AND THANKED THEM FOR SUPPORTING PEIPING'S EFFORTS "RECOVER TAIWAN." ALSO SPOKE OF JOINT EFFORTS ON BEHALF ASIAN-AFRICAN SOLIDARITY.

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CHOU AND NE WIN SPENT TWO DAYS AT NGAPALI BEACH, EACH WITH CONSIDERABLE ENTOURAGE. RETURNING RANGOON FEB 17, CHINESE MADE AND RECEIVED VARIOUS CALLS, GAVE RETURN DINNER TO NE WIN AT GOVT GUEST HOUSE IN EVENING AND DEPARTED FEB 18 FOR PAKISTAN.

JOINT COMMUNIQUE ISSUED FEB 18 DEALS PRIMARILY WITH SINO-BURMESE RELATIONSHIP AND SUPPORT FOR POLICY OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE, TOUCHING ALSO UPON COLONIALISM, SINO-INDIAN DISPUTE. APPEALS MOST NOTEWORTHY FOR INDICATIONS THAT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES ARE MANAGEABLE AND WILL CONTINUE BE TOLERATED BY CHINA (AT LEAST IN NEAR FUTURE) AND FOR EVIDENCES BURMA HAS ADROITLY DEFENDED ITS BASIC POSITIONS ON SPECIFIC ISSUES WHILE ALLOWING ITSELF TO APPEAR ASSOCIATED WITH PEIPING ON SEVERAL BROAD ISSUES WHICH PEIPING REGARDS IMPORTANT IN BUILDING AN IMAGE OF LEADERSHIP AMONG AFRO-ASIAN NATIONS.

PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE

(LANGUAGE USED ON PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE THEME FUZZY ENOUGH TO SUGGEST UNIVERSAL APPLICABILITY AND HENCE SATISFY BURMESE. BUT ENOUGH INDICATORS ARE PRESENT TO SHOW "AREA OF PEACE" MEANS SOMETHING ELSE TO CHICOMS, MAINLY THE SOCIALIST WORLD AND POTENTIAL CANDIDATES FOR THAT WORLD.)

BOTH NATIONS ASSERTED TENSION-BUILDING PROBLEMS BETWEEN NATIONS CAN BE SOLVED BY PEACEFUL MEANS. THEY AGREED STRIVE WITH ALL PEACE-LOVING PEOPLES AND COUNTRIES FOR "ULTIMATE REALIZATION GENERAL DISARMAMENT" INCLUDING TOTAL PROHIBITION AND DESTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. FURTHER AGREED IT WOULD HELP EXPAND "AREA OF PEACE" IF PEACE LOVING NATIONS ENLARGED THEIR INTERNATIONAL CONTACTS BY RENEWING OLD FRIENDSHIPS, CULTIVATING NEW ONES. IN THIS CONTEXT BURMESE SIDE CONGRATULATED CHOU AND CHEN

ON THEIR RECENT FRIENDSHIP VISIT TO AFRICA. BOTH SIDES CONCURRED "PEOPLES OF ALL NATIONS SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE AND DEVELOP THEIR OWN POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS," AND FELT THAT STATES WITH DIFFERING POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS CAN CO-EXIST IN PEACE IF THEY ARE GUIDED BY FIVE PRINCIPLES OF PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND TEN PRINCIPLES OF BANDUNG CONFERENCE. EXAMPLE CITED WAS RECENT ESTABLISHMENT RELATIONS BETWEEN PRC AND FRANCE.

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COLONIALISM AND NEO-COLONIALISM

BOTH SIDES REAFFIRMED SUPPORT ALL PEOPLE WHO ARE STRUGGLING TO FIGHT COLONIALISM IN ALL ITS FORMS AND TO WIN AND SAFEGUARD NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE. EXPRESSED CONVICTION THAT NEWLY INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES OF ASIA AND AFRICA CAN BEST CONSOLIDATE THEIR INDEPENDENCE AND BUILD UP INDEPENDENT NATIONAL ECONOMY MAINLY BY DEPENDING ON EFFORTS OF THEIR PEOPLE AND ON THEIR OWN MATERIAL RESOURCES. SAID THESE NATIONS NEED TO BEWARE OF ATTEMPTS OF COLONIALISTS AND NEO-COLONIALISTS TO DOMINATE THEM BY TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES. (THIS SECTION IS NONE TOO SUBTLE WARNING OF DANGERS OF RECEIVING AID FROM WESTERN COUNTRIES.)

SINO-INDIAN BORDER

BOTH SIDES GLAD TO NOTE THE SITUATION HAD EASED. EXPRESSED HOPE "THAT CHINA AND INDIA WOULD FIND IT POSSIBLE TO ENTER INTO DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS ON BASIS OF COLOMBO PROPOSALS."

SINO-BURMESE RELATIONS

COMMUNIQUE REFERS TO INTIMATE "PAUKPHAW" FRIENDSHIP, NE WIN'S DETERMINATION STRENGTHEN SINO-BURMESE NEIGHBORLY GOOD RELATIONS, CHINESE APPRECIATION FOR BURMESE CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS STRENGTHENING FRIENDSHIP. BASIS FOR FRIENDSHIP COMES ABOUT HALF WAY THROUGH COMMUNIQUE WHERE IT IS NOTED BURMESE "AFFIRMED THAT UNION OF BURMA HAS CONSISTENTLY WORKED FOR RESTORATION OF PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO RIGHTFUL PLACE IN UNITED NATIONS," AND CHINESE EXPRESSED GRATITUDE AND REAFFIRMED FULL RESPECT AND SUPPORT FOR BURMESE POLICY PEACE AND NEUTRALITY. (NO MENTION IN COMMUNIQUE OF TAIWAN.) TOWARD END COMMUNIQUE BOTH SIDES NOTED WITH SATISFACTION "STEADY ALL-AROUND DEVELOPMENT OF SINO-BURMESE RELATIONS." BOTH "SATISFIED" WITH PROGRESS OF ECONOMIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION SINCE CONCLUSION 1961 AGREEMENT. CHOU RENEWED INVITATION NE WIN VISIT CHINA AND NE WIN REAFFIRMED ACCEPTANCE.

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COMMUNIQUE REFERRED TO NO PROBLEMS BETWEEN COMMUNIST CHINA AND BURMA. ON OTHER HAND NEITHER IN COMMUNIQUE NOR IN NE WIN'S SPEECH WAS THERE STATEMENT SIMILAR TO THAT HE MADE IN PRESENCE LIU SHAO CHI LAST APRIL: "THERE EXISTS BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES NO INSURMOUNTABLE DISPUTE WHICH ELUDES SOLUTION." HOWEVER, ARMY-OWNED GUARDIAN EDITORIALIZED FEB 19 THAT WHAT COMMUNIQUE SAID IN EFFECT WAS "THAT THERE ARE NO SERIOUS PROBLEMS EXISTING BETWEEN BURMA AND CHINA." THIS WAS CERTAINLY NOT VIEWPOINT OF MAVERICK COMMUNIST WOITOR VANGUARD, THEIN PE MYINT (FREQUENT ADVISOR TO RGUB WHO PLAYED LEADING ROLE IN ADVANCE PREPARATIONS PEASANTS CONFERENCE RECENTLY HELD MT. POPA), WHO ON FEB 17 WRYEE OPEN LETTER TO BA THEIN TIN THROUGH CHOU EN-LAI. BA THEIN TIN WAS ONE OF SENIOR WHITE FLAG COMMUNISTS BROUGHT BACK TO BURMA TO PARTICIPATE IN INTERNAL PEACE NEGOTIATIONS LAST SUMMER AND WHO FOLLOWING BREAKDOWN OF TALKS RETURNED TO COMMUNIST CHINA. THEIN PE MYINT REFERRED TO COMMUNIST TACTICS DURING NEGOTIATIONS AND COMPARED THEM TO THOSE FOLLOWED BY COMMUNIST PARTY CHINA IN DEALING WITH NATIONALIST GOVERNMENT DURING CHINESE CIVIL WAR. SAID HE WAS MISGUIDED. THEIN PE MYINT POINTED OUT IT TO CHINA'S BENEFIT HAVE FRIENDSHIP OF BURMA. BURMA, HE WROTE, DOES NOT OBJECT TO NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES GIVING ASYLUM TO DISAFFECTED POLITICIANS BUT IT CANNOT TOLERATE DISAFFECTED POLITICIANS USING

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NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES AS A BASE AGAINST ITSELF. HE ASKED THAT CHOU EN-LAI CARRY THIS WORK BACK TO BA THEIN TIN AND TO ADVISE HIM THAT THE WHITE FLAGS SHOULD ACCEPT THE DEMANDS MADE UPON THEM BY THE GOVT OF BURMA LAST SUMMER.

COMMENT

AS IN CASE OF LIU VISIT LAST YEAR, JOINT COMMUNIQUE MILD AND RESTRAINED, AVOIDING MENTION OF THIRD COUNTRIES BY NAME EXCEPT IN MATTER OF SINO-INDIAN BORDER AND FRENCH RECOGNITION.

ON SINO-INDIAN BORDER PRESENT COMMUNIQUE EXPRESSES AS JOINT HOPE WHAT WAS STATED UNILATERALLY BY BURMESE IN COMMUNIQUE WITH LIU.

DURING LIU'S VISIT CHINESE TRIED AND FAILED INCLUDE STATEMENT SUPPORTING SECOND AFROASIAN CONFERENCE. SINCE CHICOMS STILL WORKING FOR AA CONFERENCE AND BURMA STEADFASTLY REFUSING TO CO-SPONSOR, THOUGH WILLING ATTEND, BURMESE PROBABLY TORPEDOED THIS ONE AGAIN. HOWEVER, CHINESE SUCCEEDED IN CONVEYING IN COMMUNIQUE IMPRESSION OF AGREEMENT THAT AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRIES ARE PART OF "AREA OF PEACE" TO WHICH COMMUNIST CHINA AND BURMA BELONG AND THAT NEWLY INDEPENDENT AA COUNTRIES ARE IN DANGER SUCCUMBING TO NEO-COLONIALISM WHICH THE COMMUNIQUE IMPLIES IS EXTENDED THROUGH WESTERN AID PROGRAMS.

ON DISARMAMENT ISSUE OVER WHICH NE WIN WAS IN DISAGREEMENT WITH CHOU EN-LAI LAST SUMMER (BY SIGNING LIMITED TEST BAN TREATY, REJECTING CHOU'S PROPOSAL FOR CHIEF OF STATES' CONFERENCE ON GENERAL DISARMAMENT) THERE WAS SOME COMPROMISE, WITH BURMA DROPPING USUAL REFERENCE TO CONTROLLED STEPS TOWARD DISARMAMENT, CHOU HAVING TO BE SATISFIED WITH BURMESE DECLARATION OF SUPPORT FOR "ULTIMATE REALIZATION" OF GENERAL DISARMAMENT.

THOUGH COMMIES THEMSELVES DISTINGUISH BETWEEN "BAD" WARS OF IMPERIALISM AND "GOOD" WARS OF LIBERATION, COMMUNIQUE CONDEMNED WAR IN GENERAL AND THERE WAS NO REFERENCE TO PEIPING'S "RECOVERY" OF TAIWAN (WHICH CHOU HAD DECLARED UNILATERALLY IN HIS BANQUET SPEECH THAT BURMA SUPPORTED). ON OTHER HAND, CHINESE APPEAR TO HAVE WEASELED THEIR WAY OUT OF MAKING CLEAR DECLARATION THAT ALL PROBLEMS BETWEEN NATIONS CAN BE SETTLED PEACEFULLY BY AMBIGUOUSLY INSERTING THE WORD "SOME" INTO A PRECEDING CLAUSE.

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ONE OF FIVE PRINCIPALS PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE IN NON-INTERVENTION IN INTEGRAL AFFAIRS BUT CHICOMS HAVE YET TO PROVE THEIR GOOD FAITH THIS SCORE WITH RESPECT TO WHITE FLAG COMMUNIST INSURGENTS. THEIR PZA MYINT'S ARTICLE IN VANGUARD COULD ONLY HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED WITH KNOWLEDGE OF NE WIN'S APPROVAL AND TO STRENGTHEN LATTER'S HAND IN NEGOTIATIONS.

ON BALANCE BURMA APPEARS TO HAVE GIVEN TACIT AND LIMITED SUPPORT TO CHICOM LEADERSHIP, BUT ALSO TO BE WATCHING CHINA'S PERFORMANCE CAUTIOUSLY.

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CHOU VISIT.

EMBASSY'S A-550. *Pol 7 Chicom*

PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY TO MINISTER OF DEFENSE AND EXTERNAL AFFAIRS STATED IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FEBRUARY 14 THAT CHOU EN-LAI'S VISIT TO CEYLON WOULD BE "FROM TWENTY-SIXTH FEBRUARY TO APPROXIMATELY FIRST OF MARCH" AND THAT DETAILED PROGRAM WAS STILL BEING WORKED OUT.

STATEMENT WAS IN ANSWER TO QUESTION FROM OPPOSITION MEMBER WHO ASKED FOR CLARIFICATION ON DETAILS AND PURPOSE OF VISIT WHICH HE SAID WAS "SHROUDED IN MYSTERY." OPPOSITION MEMBER RECALLED REPORTS THAT COMMUNIST CHINA INTENDED ESTABLISH NAVAL BASE IN CEYLON THAT HAD BEEN DENIED BY THE GOVERNMENT (EMBTEL 453, FEBRUARY 9, 1963) AS WELL AS REPORTS THAT COMMUNIST CHINA PROPOSED OPENING MARITIME OFFICE EITHER IN COLOMBO OR TRINCOMALEE.

PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY CONFIRMED THAT RUMORS REGARDING NAVAL BASE HAD BEEN DENIED BY GOC AS "COMPLETELY INCORRECT." HE ADDED THAT HE WAS NOT AWARE COMMUNIST CHINESE INTENDED OPENING MARITIME OFFICE, BUT EVEN IF THEY DID INTEND TO DO SO, HE PERSONALLY DID NOT THINK CHINESE PREMIER WOULD ENTER INTO THAT TYPE OF DISCUSSION IN CEYLON.

AS REPORTED IN EMBASSY'S A-559, MEA ON FEBRUARY 3 ISSUED COMMUNIQUE STATING THAT THERE HAD BEEN NO OFFICIAL REQUEST FROM

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CHINESE AUTHORITIES FOR TEAM OF SHIPPING EXPERTS TO VISIT OF COLOMBO, GALLE OR TRINCOMALEE WITH A VIEW TO SETTING UP INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING CENTER.

EVEN AFTER PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY HAD MADE STATEMENT, SUNDAY TIMES OF FEBRUARY 16 UNDER FIVE-COLUMN FRONT-PAGE HEADLINE "OUR PORTS AS CHINESE TRADING LINKS?" REPORTED CHICOMS WERE EXAMINING POSSIBILITIES OF USING CEYLON'S THREE PORTS AS TRANSSHIPMENT CENTERS FOR CHICOM VESSELS AS PART OF PEIPING'S EFFORTS BOOST TRADE WITH SOUTH ASIAN, AFRICAN AND EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. TIMES STATED TEAM OF CHINESE SHIPPING EXPERTS HAD MADE "PRIVATE" VISIT TO CEYLON'S PORTS AND MET GOVERNMENT AND PORT OFFICIALS EARLY IN FEBRUARY.

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Chou en-Lai Visit

According to PID sources, Chou en-Lai plans go to
Indonesia from Ceylon.

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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

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1. EIGHT DAY VISIT BY CHICOM PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI BEGINS TODAY WITH AFTERNOON ARRIVAL FROM RANGOON. ACCORDING PRESS CHOU ACCOMPANIED BY FOMMIN CHEN YI, LATTER'S WIFE AND 48 MEMBER ENTOURAGE. CHOU TO BE WELCOMED BY FINMIN SHOAI B IN ABSENCE FOMMIN BHUTTO.

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2. TODAY'S KARACHI PRESS DOMINATED BY WELCOMING NEWS AND EDITORIAL COMMENT RELATED CHOU-CHEN YI VISIT. DAWN AND MORNING NEWS PUBLISHED SUPPLEMENTS ON CHICOM LEADERS AND ACHIEVEMENTS, WITH VERNACULAR PAPERS ALSO RUNNING MANY SPECIAL STORIES.

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3. TONE OF EDITORIALS WARM AND LAUDATORY, ESPECIALLY DAWN. IT SAID NO VISITING DIGNITARY EVER MORE WELCOME IN

PAKISTAN THAN CHINESE VISITORS AND STRESSED "VASTLY

ALTERED" CONTEXT FROM PREVIOUS 1956 VISIT DUE SINO-

INDIAN CONFLICT AND WESTERN ARMS AID TO INDIA.

NEW AND TRUER IMAGE OF PEOPLES' CHINA PROJECTED TO WORLD

COMMUNITY BY CHOU'S AFRICAN TOUR HAD OBVIOUSLY UPSET

INDIAN PLANS SQUEEZE OUT AS MUCH AID FROM WEST AS POSSIBLE

BY PLAYING ON "ALMOST PATHOLOGICAL ANTI-CHINESE OBSESSION"

OF CERTAIN WESTERN POWERS. DAWN CONTENTED THAT PAKISTAN'S

FRIENDLY AND EVER GROWING TIES WITH GREAT CHINESE NATION

WOULD ALSO PROVE HELPFUL TO US.

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4. MORNING NEWS EDITORIAL SIMILARLY WARM BUT WITH EMPHASIS ON PAKISTAN'S GENERAL POLICY SEEK MOST CORDIAL TIES POSSIBLE WITH NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES. LONG FRONT PAGE SPECULATIVE ARTICLE MORNING NEWS NOTED STRONG US FEELINGS THAT TREND IN PAK-CHINESE RELATIONS HAD RISK SOFTENING SUBCONTINENT FOR POSSIBLE COMMUNIST AGGRESSION. ARTICLE SAID THIS APPREHENSION UNFOUNDED BECAUSE PAKISTAN CONVINCED CHICOMS HAD NO AGGRESSIVE DESIGNS AND AT ANY RATE AS US ALLY PAKISTAN HAD NO INTENTION SUBVERTING AMERICAN INTERESTS THIS REGION. MOREOVER, PAKISTAN HAD NO INTENTION WRIGGLING OUT OF ALLIED COMMITMENTS.
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5. PRESS REPORTED CHOU WILL STAY KARACHI UNTIL MORNING FEB 20 AND THEN DEPART FOR TWO DAY VISIT RAWALPINDI AND TALKS AYUB. BALANCE OF SCHEDULE UNCHANGED FROM THAT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED EXCEPT FOR APPARENT ELIMINATION CHITTAGONG. DEPARTURE SCHEDULED 10, A.M. FEB 26 FOR COLOMBO.

6. PRESS NOTED THAT IN OFFICIAL BRIEFING OF PRESS, GOP SPOKESMAN EMPHASISED THAT PROGRAM KEPT "LIGHT" IN VIEW CHOU'S STRENUOUS AFRICAN TOUR, FACT THAT HE HAD ALREADY VISITED PAKISTAN IN 1956

AND THAT CHOU EXPECTED VISIT "ANOTHER SOUTHEAST ASIAN COUNTRY" (UNNAMED) AFTER VISIT CEYLON. SPOKESMAN SAID THAT DURING TOUR OF COUNTRY CHOU AND CHEN YI TO HAVE ACCOMPANIED BY 17 MEMBER CHINESE EMBASSY TEAM AND 15 OFFICIALS FROM PAK MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

7. ACCORDING PRESS JOINT PAKISTAN CHINA BOUNDARY DEMARCATION COMMISSION, IN SESSION KARACHI PAST WEEKS, COMPLETED ON FEB 17 MAJOR PART OF ITS WORK AND TWO CHIEF DELEGATES HAD SIGNED AGREED DOCUMENTS, INCLUDING AGREED PROCEDURES FOR GROUND DEMARCATION TO BE DONE THIS YEAR.

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We have no way knowing whether Nigerian Ambassador Monrovia has recently been in touch with External Affairs on repercussions in Africa of France's recognition Communist China. However, we doubt that any change has occurred in Nigerian attitude toward China as reported our A-444 and previous. GON feels "two Chinas" stance in keeping with non-aligned Foreign policy and External Affairs official has recently expressed to us opinion that most other African countries also "recognize" two Chinas.

Re speculation that policy African countries toward China may be influenced by attitude NATO powers, it seems to us unlikely that Nigeria, which attempting various ways assert independence of Europe economically and politically, would take cue on China from NATO. In our view more important ingredient Nigerian thinking on subject will be amount evidence forthcoming of Chinese Communist attempts infiltrate and subvert East African states (Embassy telegram 1339).

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In response press queries concerning Chou en Lai visit Pakistan
and US ~~stature~~ attitude thereto, Department spokesman will decline
comment.

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2. Note that these sections explain how to use "By Pouch" indicator for posts not requiring information urgently by telegram.
3. Remember that most consular posts normally handle an extremely small volume of telegraph traffic and are not equipped to receive long telegrams or telegrams of dubious urgency.
4. In using all-inclusive addresses like "All Diplomatic Missions" there rarely should be an instance where telegraphic transmission to all posts can be justified; therefore, make sure maximum use has been made of "By Pouch" indicator.
5. Prepare two circulars rather than one when: (1) many posts require the information urgently but only a few need a full explanation; (2) the major part of a message is unclassified and only the Departmental comment or instruction need be classified.
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DATE: FEBRUARY 17, 7 PM.

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CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

1. GOP MADE FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENT EVENING FEB 16:
"AT INVITATION FIELD MARSHAL MOHAMMAD AYUB KHAN, PRESIDENT
ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN, AND MR. ZULFIKAR ALI
BHUTTO, PAKISTAN MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS,
RESPECTIVELY, HIS EXCELLENCY MR. CHOU EN-LAI, PREMIER OF
THE STATE COUNCIL OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA,
AND THE VICE-PREMIER AND FOREIGN MINISTER, MARSHAL CHEN YI,
AND MADAME CHEN YI WILL ARRIVE IN PAKISTAN ON FEB 18
FOR A FRIENDLY VISIT".

2. NO DETAILS OF PROGRAM YET ANNOUNCED. TEXT OFFICIAL
ANNOUNCEMENT CARRIED FRONT PAGE BUT INCONSPICUOUSLY
TODAY'S PRESS.

. POLITICAL COUNSELLOR TOLD BY PAK AMBASSADOR TO
COMMUNIST CHINA, GEN RAZA, ON FEB 14 THAT ARRANGEMENTS
HAD EVEN THAT DATE NOT YET BEEN FINALIZED WITH CHICOMS
AND THAT GOP HAD HAD NO WORD ON EITHER EXACT ARRIVAL HOUR
OR WHETHER EVEN DEPARTING FEB 25 OR 26. RAZA STRESSED
GOP PLANS TO EXTEND NORMAL COURTESIES GIVEN CHIEF OF
STATE, "NO MORE - NO LESS" AND THAT PRES AYUB WOULD NOT
COME KARACHI TO WELCOME CHOU. RAZA NOTED POINTEDLY IN
MOST OTHER COUNTRIES RECENT TRIP CHOU MET BY HEAD OF STATE.

COMMENT: LOW KEY TREATMENT GOP GIVING VISIT TO DATE ALSO
REFLECTED IN ALMOST TOTAL ABSENCE FROM PRESS OF BACKGROUND
PIECES AND HUMAN INTEREST STORIES NORMALLY PRECEDING SUCH
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SUBJECT : Chou En-lai Statement on Gambia

REF : Department's CA-7500, January 29, 1964; Dakar's 746,
January 22, 1964

The Embassy is not aware of any public statement made by Chou En-lai during his visit to Accra in favor of Gambian independence. As the Department is aware, the Joint Ghana-China Communique, which was issued upon Chou's departure from Accra, included Gambia in a list of dependent African territories whose peoples are said to be "valiantly fighting for independence and freedom." This statement obviously refers to Gambia's independence from Great Britain and would not seem necessarily to apply to plans for a Senegambia association.

A senior member of the British High Commission in Accra has informed Embassy officers that his mission is unaware of any reference to Gambia in the Chou-Nkrumah conversations, aside from the fleeting mention in the communique.

For the Charge d'Affaires, a.i.:

Jack F. Matlock
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Second Secretary of Embassy

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INFO: HONG KONG, TAIPEI

FROM : Amembassy, KHARTOUM

SUBJECT: Chou En-Lai Visit: Draft Communique

REF : Embassy's A-226, February 3, 1964

The Embassy encloses a document which is believed to be the Sudanese draft of the joint communique intended for release at the conclusion of the visit to the Sudan of CPR Prime Minister Chou En-Lai. It was mistaken for the final version of the communique and transmitted to Paris by the AFP correspondent who had come to Khartoum to cover the Chou En-Lai visit. The draft was most likely prepared by the GOS Foreign Ministry.

The official joint communique published on January 29 differs in a number of significant points from the Sudanese draft and it is reasonable to assume that the changes were introduced at the suggestion or insistence of the Chinese. The Sudanese version, for example, avoids all mention of a Bandung Conference while the final version refers to it in Paragraph 9. Paragraph 11 on the Indo-Chinese dispute is phrased in the final version in language less palatable to the Indians than before. The published text of Paragraph 14 elaborates on co-existence between different social systems, and trade and cultural exchanges; these are not mentioned in the draft.

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Document believed to be Sudanese draft
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The Embassy understands that the redrafting of the communique took considerable time. The Sudanese apparently did not give in easily on some of the points pressed by the Chinese and, on some others, it is likely they refused to agree at all. Chou En-Lai's speech at the reception on January 29 (for text see reference airgram) may have been intended primarily as a medium for the exposition of CPR positions on matters, like Panama, which the Sudanese preferred not to include in the communique.

For the Ambassador:

Karl F. Mautner
Karl F. Mautner
First Secretary of Embassy

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CHINA - SUDAN

JOINT COMMUNIQUE

SUDAN DAILY

(Official Published Version)

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(Sudanese Draft?)

1. At the invitation of President Ibrahim Abboud, H.E. Mr. Chou En-Lai, Premier of the State Council of the Peoples's Republic of China, paid an official visit to the Republic of the Sudan from January 27 to 30, 1964.
2. Premier Chou En-Lai was accompanied on his visit by Marshal Chen Yi, Vice-Premier of the State Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs, and other high-ranking officials.
3. During their stay in the Republic of the Sudan, Premier Chou En-Lai and his party made a tour of the capital, Wad Medani and the Gezira Scheme and visited places of historical, economic, social and artistic interests. They made contact with the leaders and people of all circles of the Republic of the Sudan and were hospitably received and warmly welcomed by the leaders of the Republic of the Sudan and the Sudanese Government and people.
4. Premier Chou En-Lai praised the achievements scored by the Republic of the Sudan, under the leadership of President Abboud, in safeguarding national independence and developing national economy.
1. In response to invitation extended by President Abboud Chinese Premier paid official visit to Sudan 27th 30th January.
2. Mr. Chou En-Lai was accompanied by Marshal Shen Yi Vice President and Foreign Minister and Senior aides.
3. During their stay in Sudan they visited important places in Sudanese capital as well as Wad Medani and Gezira Scheme and places of historical, economical, social and artistic significance. They have conducted useful discussions with responsible officials in various units and have been tremendously welcomed by Government and peoples of Sudan.
4. Mr. Lai praised the achievements of the Sudan Government under leadership President Abboud in securing independence and developing national economy.

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5. During the visit, talks were held between Premier Chou En-Lai and President Abboud, and views and opinions were exchanged. Taking part in the talks on the Chinese side were: Marshal Chen Yi, Vice Premier of the State Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs; Kung Yuan, Deputy Director of the Office in charge of Foreign Affairs, State Council; Huang Chen, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs; Tung Hsiao-peng, Chief of Secretariat of the Premier of the State Council, Chiao Kuan-hua, Assistant Minister of Foreign Affairs; Wang Yu-tien, Director of West Asian and African Department of the Foreign Ministry; and Ku Hsiao-po, Chinese Ambassador to the Sudan. On the Sudanese side were: H.E. Major-General (P.S.C.) El Magboul El Amin El Hag, Minister of Commerce, Industry and Supply and H.E. Sayed Ahmed Kheir, Minister of Foreign Affairs.
5. During visit two Presidents exchanged views and following participated therein, on Chinese side Marshal Shen Yi Vice President and Foreign Minister, Cong Boan Vice Director Foreign relations, Hwang Shen Deputy Foreign Minister, Tong Siaong Chief Secretary, Chia Kon Howa Assistant Foreign Secretary, Wang Yue Director of West Asian and African section of Foreign Affairs and Kou Syaw Chinese Ambassador in Sudan. On Sudan side Major General Magboul El Amin Minister of Commerce and Foreign Minister Ahmed Kheir.
6. The talks were held in an atmosphere of amity, frankness and mutual trust which characterize the relations between the two countries. The two parties reviewed international problems in general and Asian-African problems in particular.
6. Discussions were held in friendly frank atmosphere of confidence that distinguishes Chino Sudanese relations. Current world issues were discussed especially Afro-Asian issues.
7. Both parties pointed to the need for continuing the struggles against imperialism until its eradication. On the basis of this conviction, both parties reaffirmed their resolute support to the Asian and African
7. Both parties expressed belief continue struggle against imperialism and confirmed their full support the fair struggle Afro-Asians against imperialism in its different shapes because

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peoples in their just struggle against imperialism in all its forms. Both parties held that there will be no peace for mankind unless the direct source of world war - imperialism - is eliminated. Both parties called upon all freedom - and - peace - loving peoples to work concertedly for the realization of this goal.

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they believe no peace can be maintained unless imperialism is over; both sides appeal to peace loving peoples to collaborate for achievement this objective.

8. Both parties reaffirmed that the two Governments and peoples would continue their joint efforts to eliminate international tension and defend world peace. World peace is necessary for developing the economic and social resources of the two countries and raising the living standards of the two peoples. Both parties expressed their readiness to fight together with all countries and peoples, for the realization of general disarmament, the total prohibition of nuclear weapons and complete destruction of nuclear stockpiles. In this connection, both parties made particular reference to the resolution of the Summit Conference of African States on declaring Africa a nuclear-weapon-free zone.

8. Communique assured both Governments and people will continue joint efforts maintain world peace because peace major factor in developing economic resources and social status of two countries; both parties expressed readiness struggle with other countries to attain stage of disarmament and prohibition nuclear weapons completely and destruction of stored nuclear weapons and referred in this connection to African Summit call declare Africa non-nuclear area.

9. Both parties praised the Addis Ababa Conference as a turning point in the history of the liberation and development of Africa, just as the Bandung Conference was a turning point in the history of the liberation and development of Asian-African countries. Premier Chou En-Lai reaffirmed his support as contained in his message of greetings delivered at the opening of the Conference.

9. Both parties referred to that Summit as diversion point in history liberation Afro-Asian Countries and Chinese Premier expressed full agreement to Summit conclusions.

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Both parties held that the time was ripe for the convening of a second Asian-African Conference and that active preparations should be made for it.

10. Both parties denounced the present state of Palestine. The Chinese side expressed support for the Arab people of the Palestine in restoring their proper rights. The Chinese side was of the opinion that the recent Summit Conference of Arab Countries has contributed to promoting the Arab countries' cause of unity against imperialism, and the Chinese side supported the resolutions of this Conference on the following bases:-
- (1) It supports the Arab and African peoples in their struggle to oppose imperialism and old and new colonialism and to win and safeguard national independence.
 - (2) It supports the governments of Arab and African countries in pursuing a policy of peace, neutrality and non-alignment.
 - (3) It supports the Arab and African peoples in their desire to achieve solidarity and unity in the manner of their own choice.
 - (4) It supports the Arab and African countries in their efforts to settle their disputes through peaceful consultation.

10. Chinese side announced their support to people of Palestine in struggle regain their homeland, Chinese side believes Cairo Summit Conference held recently has contributed towards establishment Arab unity to face imperialism, Chinese side expressed support conference resolutions on following basis: support of Africans and Arabs in struggle against imperialism, support of Arab and African Governments in adopting policies of peace neutrality and non-commitment. Support African and Arab in aspirations achieve unity in way they think appropriate, support African and Arab countries solve internal disputes without interference.

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- (5) It holds that the sovereignty of Arab and African countries should be respected by all other countries and that encroachment and interference from any quarters should be opposed.

11. Both parties reviewed the situation of the Sino-Indian boundary dispute. Both parties noted that there has been an improvement in the situation, which makes them optimistic and confident about a peaceful settlement of this question.

11. Both sides discussed circumstances relating Indo-Chinese dispute and both parties observe position now improving and they are hoping and confident a peaceful settlement will be reached.

12. President Abboud expressed the Sudanese People's belief that the Chinese people must be represented in the United Nations so as to enable the United Nations to fulfil its whole mission in accordance with its Charter. President Abboud pointed out that the Sudanese people had on a number of occasions denounced the act of depriving the People's Republic of China of its legitimate rights in the United Nations. For this Premier Chou En-Lai expressed his thanks.

12. President Abboud expressed belief of Sudanese people that China should be represented in United Nations to enable World Organization play its full role in accordance to its charter. President Abboud explained Sudanese people's disappointment in rejecting Chinese membership.

13. The Chinese side expressed its appreciation of the positive role played by the Republic of the Sudan in strictly pursuing a policy of non-alignment in its foreign policies and in international affairs.

13. Mr. Lai expressed his appreciation to this support. Chinese expressed appreciation role of Sudan Government in adopting positive role in her political commitments of non-alignment in its foreign and international policies.

14. Both parties expressed satisfaction at the friendly relations between the two countries, particularly their development after the establishment of diplomatic relations between the Government of the Republic of the

14. Both parties expressed their pleasure for the development and strength of Chino-Sudanese relations after diplomatic representation was established between two countries.

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Sudan headed by President Abboud, and the People's Republic of China. At the same time, both parties noted that these relations are daily developing in various fields, and this shows that countries with different social systems can coexist in peace. Both parties decided to make efforts for expanding the economic and trade cooperation and cultural exchanges between the two countries. This is not only in accord with the desire of the two peoples and the vital interests of the two countries, but is also in the interest of consolidating world peace.

15. President Abboud thanked Premier Chou En-Lai for his visit, which though short, has an important bearing on the consolidation of the friendly relations between the two peoples. Premier Chou En-Lai expressed gratification at President Abboud's forthcoming visit to the People's Republic of China. Both parties were of the opinion that the exchange of visits by the leaders of the two countries will promote friendly relations and international cooperation.

15. President Abboud thanked Chinese Premier for the visit which although short has been important in strengthening relations two countries. Mr. Lai expressed pleasure forthcoming visit of Sudanese President to China and both parties agreed exchange of visits of leaders will strengthen their friendly relations and international cooperation.

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On Thursday, February 6, Embassy asked Chief of Protocol for audience with King but no reply to date. Although his majesty's influence and role political affairs appear undiminished, there is no question but what one or more members his entourage leak to Ministers or Deputies subjects discussed by King with visitors. Must therefore be extremely careful in handling future discussions GRC representation because government and assembly adamantly against establishing GRC Embassy.

I should much prefer at next audience making clear to King my desire acquaint PRIMIN subsequently with subjects we discuss, in particular GRC representation and particulars re invitation to Chou En Lai to visit Usumbura. Otherwise may find myself in very uncomfortable squeeze between the throne, on one hand, and government and assembly on the other.

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Italian Minister to Albania, in a despatch of February 7, 1964 to the Italian Foreign Ministry, makes the following additional observations with regard to the recent visit to Albania of Chou En-lai and the possible granting of military aid to that country:

There does not seem to be any doubt that in the conversation between the Chinese delegation and the Albanian leaders economic and military assistance was a major topic. Albania's top leaders participated in these discussions.

There is nothing concrete on the question of economic aid. It is reported, however, that the Chinese "reacted with great prudence" to the Albanian requests, and that there was a notable disparity between these requests and the Chinese possibilities.

With regard to military aid, there is reason to believe that the Chinese undertook to overcome the gap caused by the discontinuance of aid from Warsaw Treaty countries. This observation is borne out by the fact that a few months before Chou's arrival, an Albanian military delegation, composed of Generals Halim Ramohito, Todi Naco, and Vaske Gjini, the last of whom is Assistant Chief of the General Staff, and assisted by the Albanian Military Attache in Peiping, visited China for a whole month. They discussed with Chinese colleagues the needs and requirements of the Albanian Armed Forces and drafted a program for military assistance to Albania.

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The fact that the final communique after Chou's talks with the Albanians did not touch on economic and military assistance could be explained by the desire of both parties to give the visit the character of a political-ideological encounter. Both parties, in other words, wanted to give the impression of a confrontation and repetition of their common ideological positions, particularly with regard to Yugoslavia and the USSR, and to stress the role that China attributed to Albania in the contest with Moscow and the guarantee that Peiping intended to give Albania in the eventuality of subversion either by Yugoslavia or by Moscow.

For the Ambassador:



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There is enclosed a thermofax copy of a despatch of February 1, 1964 in Italian prepared by the Italian Legation in Tirana and supplied to the Embassy by the Foreign Ministry. The despatch deals with press reports of convention allegedly held in Tirana during Chou En-lai's visit to Albania.

The Legation points out that Chou's contacts in Tirana were shrouded in greatest secrecy, and it is therefore difficult to confirm or deny that he or members of his suite had contacts with representatives of pro-Chinese Communists movements in Europe. The Legation adds, however, that it made every effort during Chou's stay in Tirana to detect the presence of such representatives in Albania, especially at receptions and public manifestations, but no one was seen. Undoubtedly, had there been European Communists in Albania at this time, they would have been observed. It should also be borne in mind, the Legation continues, that Chou had a very heavy program while in Albania, and he therefore could not possibly have had the time or the occasion for contacts with foreign Communist leaders.

This does not at all mean, the Legation concludes, that Chou neglected to discuss with Albanian leaders the various possibilities for increasing Albania's role in the dissemination in Europe of pro-Chinese

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propaganda. It is in fact reported that within the framework of the collaboration between the Albanian and Chinese Communist Parties, an accord has been reached for the installation of a new printing plant fitted with appropriate letters for publishing material "of a strictly Chinese line" intended for countries in the West, in the Balkans, and in North Africa. Provision in this accord is reportedly also made for strengthening the existing Albanian radio facilities, which were originally built by the Russians but which are now expanded with Chinese assistance. A large building for housing the offices of such propaganda activities is in fact nearing completion now in Tirana.

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Le notizie di fonte giornalistica secondo le quali durante la recente visita di Ciu En Lai, si sarebbero dati a convegno a Tirana alcuni esponenti delle correnti filocinesi del comunismo europeo, non erano passate neanche qui inosservate ed avevano anzi formato oggetto di vari commenti in questi ambienti diplomatici. Come si è avuto occasione di riferire e come era da attendersi, in un regime così strettamente marxista-leninista come quello albanese, a parte le manifestazioni di carattere protocolare e popolare ed il contenuto, peraltro assai ampio, del comunicato finale, i contatti del Primo Ministro cinese sono stati circondati dal più grande riserbo e sarebbe difficile affermare o negare se egli ed altri del suo seguito, abbiano avuto contatti con esponenti dei partiti comunisti di linea cinese. Per lo stesso carattere che ha assunto la permanenza in Albania di così alti esponenti cinesi e per tutti i precedenti delle relazioni, soprattutto in campo ideologico, fra i due paesi ed i due partiti, contatti come quelli indicati più sopra vanno valutati in un quadro più ampio e considerati nella progressiva evoluzione dei rapporti fra Cina ed Albania. Non sembra infatti esservi dubbio che i cinesi abbiano sempre avuto l'idea di considerare l'Albania come un loro caposaldo per una opera di propaganda in Europa, mentre gli albanesi si avvalgono della

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loro posizione geografica e del loro allineamento politico per offrire una contropartita che, qualunque possa essere il suo effettivo valore, ha però sempre, almeno ai loro occhi, il pregio di fare apparire la loro situazione più alta di quella che non sia in realtà. E questo spiega come da parte loro si sia posta ogni possibile cura nel diffondere e propagandare il punto di vista cinese, per loro l'unico ortodosso, nel conflitto ideologico con Mosca.

Le notizie o supposizioni di fonte giornalistica di cui sopra, apparirebbero quindi fondate ed una loro conferma potrebbe trovarsi nel testo del telexpresso dell'Ambasciata in Vienna (n.274/122 del 15 gennaio u.s.) nel quale si dice che materiale di propaganda sarebbe stato diffuso a Vienna da "tale Herbert Parkas, fino a poco fa oscuro membro del partito, ma reduce da un lungo viaggio compiuto recentemente in Albania".

Il dettaglio può essere certamente verosimile, ma d'altra parte, durante la visita di Ciu En Lai in Albania, e nonostante sia stata cura nell'osservare questo particolare per l'evidente interesse che esso comportava, non è stato stato di notare - nei ricevimenti e nelle manifestazioni varie a cui si è potuto avere accesso - la presenza di delegazioni e di particolari esponenti di partiti comunisti europei, che, ove presenti, non avrebbero mancato di essere notati. Vi è da considerare inoltre che prese di contatto ed accordi del genere, non avrebbero forse trovato luogo o tempo opportuni nel programma piuttosto carico, della visita del Primo Ministro cinese, la quale ha avuto come carattere essenziale quello di riaffermare in maniera sì può dire solenne ed esplicita, delle posizioni ideologiche già scontate, tanto da porre in secondo piano quegli accordi di carattere politico, militare, economico ed altri, sui quali si erano invece principalmente appuntati gli sguardi dei locali osservatori diplomatici.

Si sarebbe quindi portati ad escludere che la visita di Ciu En Lai abbia dato occasione ad incontri del genere di un certo rilievo. E l'argomento che più induce a tale conclusione è che gli albanesi, sempre in cerca di consensi alla politica del loro regime, non avrebbero trascurato

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L'occasione di menzionare, nell'euforia delle varie manifestazioni, la visita di compagni di lotta; se ne sarebbero anzi fatti parte diligente, come sempre quando pubblicano o diffondono consensi ed elogi che loro provengono da qualunque parte, anche se si tratti di qualche oscuro emigrante sperduto in un qualche remoto villaggio dell'Australia o delle Americhe.

Ma quanto detto sopra, nulla toglie al fondo della questione e cioè che cinesi ed albanesi stanno conducendo e sviluppando una opera di propaganda intesa a coordinare e ad attrarre dalla loro, tutti quei settori dei partiti comunisti che sono suscettibili di aderire alla loro linea ideologica. Su questo punto, che mi pare l'essenziale, tutti gli elementi sono concordi e solo vi è da analizzare il movimento e seguirlo nei suoi futuri sviluppi. Il telespresso della Ambasciata in Vienna sopracitato è assai sintomatico ed i compiti propagandistici di quella Legazione d'Albania sono certamente e nettamente orientati verso la Cecoslovacchia. Sull'attività svolta dagli albanesi nel Belgio ed in Francia, questa Legazione non ha che da richiamare in proposito i precedenti.

Ma dove l'attività della Cina comunista albanese assume per noi più diretto rilievo, è proprio nel nostro paese. A tale proposito si richiama infatti il telespresso 863/510 del 12 ottobre con il quale si chiedeva di conoscere quale fosse in effetti l'orientamento politico in seno al PCI, dell'Avv. Bagliari e del Portone, Presidente e Segretario Generale della "Associazione per l'Amicizia Italia-Albania". Sarebbe infatti assai interessante per questa Legazione sapere quali sono gli effettivi rapporti fra questa Associazione, la Legazione d'Albania in Roma, ed il PCI. Risulta inoltre che è recentemente uscita in bella veste tipografica, una rivista intitolata "Rassegna di Studi Albanesi", edita dalle "Edizioni Italba - Roma" per i tipi della Tipografia Editrice dell'Orso.

E' questo un esempio della cura che gli albanesi pongono nel diffondere le loro idee negli ambienti italiani in genere, ma particolarmente nel gruppo etnico degli italo-albanesi, fra i quali una propaganda abile e che si richiama alle loro tradizioni ed origini, non può non avere influenza, soprattutto se non opportunamente controbilanciata da parte nostra.

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Questo della propaganda albanese e dei contatti con i vari esponenti della "linea cinese" in seno ai vari PPCC, è quindi argomento che va seguito, non solo nei riguardi dei vari paesi europei, ma a cominciare dallo stesso nostro, tanto più che tutto porta a credere che a conclusione del recente viaggio di Ciu En Lai anche il settore della comune propaganda ideologica non sia stato trascurato e debba anzi avere avuto maggiore impulso. Si è infatti raccolta la voce che nell'ambito delle intese fra i due partiti comunisti, si è raggiunto un accordo per l'impianto di una nuova centrale tipografica provvista di adeguati caratteri, e destinata alla diffusione nei vari paesi occidentali, nei Balcani e nell'Africa settentrionale di materiale comunista di stretta "linea cinese"; nonché per il potenziamento degli attuali servizi radiofonici albanesi (costruiti in buona parte dai russi, ma ora in via di ampliamento con l'aiuto cinese. Un ampio fabbricato dove dovrebbero trovar posto la direzione e gli studi è infatti in via di completamento).

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Danish editorials have generally interpreted Chou En-lai's African tour as a move in the Sino-Soviet power struggle. They have concluded that the objective was to further China's aim to convene a new Bandung Conference at which she could assume leadership of the Afro-Asian neutralist bloc. Short of this, the objective was, according to Vestkysten (Moderate Liberal), to show the flag in order to lend prestige to the Communist-Chinese "underground influence" in Africa. Most papers mentioned the "bright side" of the situation, i.e., that this impetus would have the result of improving US-Soviet relations.

As an example of one of the better press commentaries, an article of January 10 by Mogens Kofod-Hansen, a veteran political editor for the conservative Berlingske Tidende, is attached.

For the Ambassador:

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CHOU's NEW CHALLENGE

Chou En-lai's long African journey is now resumed after a short trip to Albania which has no friends in the world other than mighty China--perhaps because the Albanians do not desire friends who are closer. Tito's Yugoslavia and even Khrushchev's Soviet Union are situated too close for the little Stalinist Enver Hoxha to feel safe in intimate contact with them, whereas the Chinese can keep his poor country alive, without really dominating it, due to their distance.

The trip to Albania was undoubtedly a demonstration of what is the deeper purpose of Chou's African journey: to start another great offensive phase of Chinese foreign policy; to expand Chinese influence outside Asia; and to challenge not only the Western Powers, but just as much the Russians in a contest for the friendship of the neutralist African states.

Moscow feels strongly challenged, and it can almost be assumed that Khrushchev will later follow Chou's footsteps in an attempt to regain some of the Chinese conquests...this widening of the Sino-Soviet conflict, has assumed the nature of a racial strife. The Chinese have stressed that they are "colored" like the Africans. This would in any event be a serious handicap for the Soviet Union. But the seriousness of the situation is sharpened on account of the extensive racial unrest in December in Moscow, when 700 African students at Russian universities forced their way to the Kremlin to protest the death of a young Ghanaian student. His death, however, was only the spark that ignited the powder keg which consisted of several years' accumulated dissatisfaction among the colored students in the Soviet Union over the treatment to which they are exposed. The Russians are extremely guilty of racial discrimination in spite of all Marxist slogans about equality.

Almost one year ago it aroused a sensation when over 100 African students in anger left the university in Sofia on account of alleged discrimination. Many of them carried on their studies in Western Europe and in Israel, where they are treated in a better way and where they are not denied female company.

All this has ruined a great part of the sympathy that the Soviet Union and other certain countries had gained by many years of patient work and by billion-ruble investments in Africa. This is, to some extent, the situation that Chou En-lai is trying to capitalize on, and the prospects of success are

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are comparatively good for Chou in "black Africa", i.e. south of the Sahara desert. The perilous element in this is not so much the friendship which is being sought since it might be cultivated without any particular harm to others, but the fact that the Chinese seem to inspire some of their African friends politically, e.g. Premier Nkrumah has done away with all opposition in Ghana.

Both Nkrumah and Sekou Toure' have been on official calls in Peiping and apparently have found much inspiration there for their political methods. Now the new states of Kenya and Zanzibar, together with Uganda and Tanganyika, are being courted.

Peiping's troubles in the development of this circle of African friends, however, consists in the fact that it requires money and commodities--and China is short of both. Sympathy is not enough--and the Chinese cannot hope to compete with the Soviet Union or the Western Powers on this point.

In North Africa, Chou--before he went to Albania--faced another difficulty. Nasser of Egypt received the Chinese Premier with wholehearted kindness, but remained adamant on his wish for continuation of the cooperation with the two he most admires, Tito and Nehru, whom the Chinese most strongly oppose. Nor has Nasser wished to weaken his ties to the Soviet Union which is still financing and building the Aswan Dam. This aid means so much to Egypt that Cairo has no desire to support China's political ambition to convene another Afro-Asian Bandung Conference under Chinese presidency.

Furthermore, Chou En-lai has, in North Africa, been hard put to conciliate China's traditional friendship with monarchist Morocco, with increasing support for Ben Bella's socialist Algeria. China has corresponding trouble in cooperating with both Kenya and Somalia.

The internal-African conflicts will not facilitate Chou's tasks on the journey. The most decisive is, however, that this journey takes place, and that Chou is showing the colors of China in an unprecedented way in Africa, and thereby has again challenged Khrushchev.

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FROM : Amembassy ADDIS ABABA

SUBJECT : Publication of Corrected Statement by Chou-en-Lai

REF :

The lead article of the February 12 edition of the Ministry of Information's ETHIOPIAN HERALD reported that the Mogadiscio press had misquoted certain press statements by Chou-en-Lai during his recent visit to Somalia. The HERALD then published as follows portions of a corrected statement released by the Chicom Premier:

"....Premier Chou En-Lai points out that various forms of struggles waged by African countries to win and safeguard national independence, oppose aggression by imperialism and old and new colonialism and to fight against any control from outside, all fell within scope of nationalist revolution. What Moroccan people did in forcing United States to remove its military bases from Morocco was a revolutionary action.

Referring to what he saw during his visit in Ethiopia, Premier Chou En-Lai said that United States government applied pressure on Ethiopia not only in political field but in public opinion as well in an attempt to obstruct further development in relations between China and Ethiopia. But contrary to expectations of United States government, China issued a friendly joint communique with Ethiopia. He said that on the eve of his departure from Asmara, he had stated that the signing and the releasing of joint communique would further prompt relations between China and Ethiopia and frustrate attempt of outside forces which tried to sabotage Sino-Ethiopian relations by spreading unfounded rumours. This was an international struggle between control and counter control seen in Ethiopia. To oppose control from outside was also part of national revolutionary movement in Africa...."

FOR THE AMBASSADOR:

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SUBJECT: Visit of Chicom Premier and Foreign Minister to Africa

REF : CA-7244, January 22, 1964

From January 11 to January 27, Chicom Premier Chou En-lai and Foreign Minister Ch'en Yi visited three West African countries, Ghana, Mali, and Guinea. Immediately thereafter, until February 4, they visited three East African countries, Sudan, Ethiopia, and Somalia. (It will be recalled that they had previously visited the UAR, Algeria, Morocco, and Tunisia.) Their projected visit to three additional East African countries, Tanganyika, Kenya, and Uganda, was postponed indefinitely at the request of the governments of those countries, following army mutinies in each of them during the week of January 20. It has been announced that visits to these countries, as well as a visit to Zanzibar, will take place at a later date. A trip to Burundi is also scheduled.

As in North Africa, Chou and Ch'en succeeded in West and East Africa, in focusing attention on African-Chinese ties, in increasing awareness of the Peiping regime and, in some cases, improving its image, and in creating, through emphasis on Afro-Asian solidarity, anti-colonialism and related themes, pressures for additional African recognition of the regime.

In view of the lack of any previous Chicom ties with Ethiopia, the important role that country plays on the African scene, and the conservative complexion of its government, the Chicom leaders' success in securing an invitation to visit Ethiopia must be regarded as a not insignificant achievement. Moreover, Ethiopia stated in the communique which it issued jointly with the Chicoms, that it intended to "normalize" relations with Peiping in the near future. These developments, however, were not entirely unexpected, as Ethiopia has voted several times for admission of the Chicoms to the UN, has expressed fears of becoming isolated within Africa by reason of its position on China, and undoubtedly wished, in view of

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the presence of an American communications installation on Ethiopian soil, to make a gesture toward African neutralist sentiment.

In West and East Africa, the Chicom leaders won support for a second Bandung-type conference from the governments of all the countries visited, in contrast to their limited success in this regard in North Africa. It is of interest that Haile Selassie, who had played a major role in connection with the first Belgrade-type conference, specifically endorsed a Bandung-type conference.

The increasing Chicom presence in Africa may, however, cause leaders in many African countries, especially the smaller and weaker ones, to fear an increase in subversive activity by Peiping and, consequently, to regard that regime with increased suspicion. Fear and suspicion may, indeed, have been factors in the request of the governments of Tanganyika, Kenya, and Uganda for postponement of the proposed visit. In any event, the failure of the Chicom leaders to visit these countries must, under the circumstances, be regarded as a set-back for them.

The visit of Chou and Ch'en to Ethiopia was less than a complete success. The Chicom leaders were received by Haile Selassie in Asmara, rather than in Addis Ababa, where they would have preferred to go. The Emperor, moreover, made his differences of opinion with them quite explicit. In Mogadiscio the Chicom leaders' visit was moderately successful but they almost certainly disappointed their hosts by their failure to support the latter's cherished vision of a greater Somalia.

Apparently the Chicom leaders offered additional economic aid only to Ghana, of all the African countries visited, and, even in this case, the picture is not clear. The new Ghanaian Ambassador to Peiping announced that the Chinese offer more than doubled the amount previously extended. Since Ghana had not drawn upon the earlier credit, the new offer (if, in fact, made) is more valuable for propaganda than for practical purposes.

GHANA (January 11-16)

Following the January 2 attempt on President Nkrumah's life, speculation that the proposed visit of Chou and Ch'en would not take place had been rife, and there were indications that the visit would not be welcome. When the Chicom leaders arrived in Accra on January 11, moreover, they were given a rather perfunctory reception.

Nevertheless, public statements by President Nkrumah, statements in the government-controlled press, and especially the joint communique issued by the Ghanaians and Chicoms strongly endorsed the latter's policy line. The communique touched on issues not mentioned in any of the communiqués issued in North Africa. Perhaps the most significant items it contained were appeals for convoking an Afro-Asian-Latin American "peoples" anti-imperialism

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conference" and for actively preparing a separate Afro-Asian conference. The Chicoms reiterated their support for increased Afro-Asian representation in UN bodies and reaffirmed their position that this question should not in any way be linked with that of the restoration of their "rights" in the UN. The Ghanaians, for their part, objected to any attempt to create "two Chinas." Both parties agreed that the UN forces should be withdrawn from the Congo. In addition, they expressed complete agreement on such matters as "imperialism, colonialism and neo-colonialism, general disarmament, the complete prohibition of nuclear weapons, the settlement of international issues through peaceful negotiations and strengthening of Afro-Asian people's solidarity against imperialism."

Consulate General Hong Kong has reported an announcement by the new Ghanaian Ambassador to Peiping on February 2 that Chou had offered a U.S. \$22.4 million credit to Ghana during his stay there. If so, this would be, insofar as the Department is aware, the only Chicom extension of credit made by Chou in the course of his trip. Embassy Accra, however, has expressed the belief that additional aid was not, in fact, offered.

According to Radio Accra, on February 5, the Chinese Ambassador in Accra called on the Ghanaian Minister of Agriculture in connection with plans to make Chinese agricultural experts available to Ghana to aid that country in its efforts to increase rice production. This visit was described as a follow-up to the discussions which had taken place during Chou's visit.

MALI (January 16-21)

Upon arrival at Bamako, Chou and Gh'en were welcomed by President Keita, who, in a speech at the airport, effusively praised the Peiping regime for its technical assistance to Mali, which, he said, had been carried out without interference in the latter's internal affairs. He also declared that Peiping understood Mali's problems, noting that the developed world, by contrast, sought to conquer space before having solved the problems of man. (Apparently he directed this criticism at both the USA and the USSR.) At the airport Malian youths hired by persons unknown distributed pamphlets describing Soviet aid to Africa, doubtlessly an attempt to remind the Malians that the USSR, not Communist China, was their best friend.

The joint communique issued at the end of this visit, like the one issued in Accra, endorsed the holding of a second Afro-Asian conference. It also called for equitable Afro-Asian representation in the UN "without any reserve or precondition." Mali, for its part, expressed support for the Chicoms' "just struggle in defense of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of their country and for the restoration of the legitimate rights of the GPR in the United Nations." The Chinese listed the eight principles which Peiping allegedly observes in conducting economic and technical aid programs; two of

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these, our Ambassador in Bamako has observed, imply criticism of Soviet aid operations.

On the eve of his departure from Bamako, Chou renewed an invitation to President Keita to visit China at a time convenient to him.

GUINEA (January 21-27)

Our Ambassador in Conakry has described the Chicom leaders' visit to Guinea as a "luke-warm success." A public attack by Chou on the U.S. Government aroused Sekou Toure's ire, according to a reliable report, and led to the expression, in a speech given by a ranking Guinean official, of the GOG's gratitude to all aid donors, including the U.S. The Guinean leader reportedly had made it clear, in his first session with Chou, that he would not tolerate attacks on any country during the visit.

The joint communique issued January 27 called for the convocation of a second Afro-Asian conference, general disarmament and the prohibition and destruction of nuclear weapons. On the Chicom side, support was expressed for the creation of a nuclear-free zone in Africa, the withdrawal of all foreign military bases from that continent, and greater Afro-Asian representation in the UN. On the Guinean side, the hope was expressed that the Sino-Indian border dispute would be resolved by peaceful means and that Peiping's representatives would be seated in the UN. In closing, the communique expressed the view of both sides that the present visit and Sekou Toure's visit to Peiping in 1960 had contributed to tightening the bonds of friendship between the two countries and to strengthening Afro-Asian solidarity.

SUDAN (January 27-30)

While official treatment of the Chicom visitors in Sudan was correct but not enthusiastic, press treatment was greater in volume and more favorable in tone than would have been anticipated. Our Ambassador in Khartoum has commented that the Chicoms will be able in the future to draw upon the editorial material, especially that in the two government-controlled organs, for their own propaganda.

The joint communique issued at the end of the visit contained no unexpected elements. In addition to references to the usual shibboleths, Afro-Asian solidarity, anti-imperialism, the defense of world peace, etc., it expressed Sudanese support for a second Bandung-type conference. It denounced the present status of Palestine, expressed Chicom endorsement of the work of the recent Arab summit conference, and set forth Sudanese support for the seating of Chicom representatives in the UN. It also declared that both parties had decided to make efforts to expand economic and commercial

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cooperation and cultural exchanges. Finally, it expressed the gratification of the Chicom Premier at President Abboud's forthcoming visit to Peiping.

Our Ambassador in Khartoum has expressed the view that discussions regarding the expansion of trade did take place, at least at the expert level. It is too early to predict, he added, whether any such expansion will result.

ETHIOPIA (January 30-February 1)

Chou and Ch'en had wanted to visit Addis Ababa, where they might have established contact with the OAU and ECA and thus profited to the greatest extent possible by their sojourn in Ethiopia. Haile Selassie, however, insisted on receiving them in Asmara.

According to the Ethiopian Foreign Minister, the Chicom leaders had opened the discussions with a demand for immediate recognition. The joint communique issued at the end of the visit declared: "Agreement was reached on the taking of measures to strengthen relations between the GPR and Ethiopia, including the normalization of relations between the two governments in the near future." The Foreign Minister explained to our Ambassador that future developments in this regard would depend upon Chicom behavior in Asia, particularly with regard to India, and in Africa, particularly with regard to Somalia. Our Ambassador has estimated that, unless the Chicoms commit new rash acts, the IEG will recognize Peiping within the next four months.

In addition, the communique endorsed a second Bandung-type conference (which, however, the IEG has said it is unwilling to contemplate in the immediate future), general disarmament, the prohibition and destruction of nuclear weapons, and the creation of a nuclear-free zone in Africa. It also noted Ethiopian support for the seating of the Chicoms in the UN. Finally, it stated that the Emperor had accepted an invitation to visit Peiping following the normalization of relations.

It appears that the visit was less than a complete success. In addition to not being received in Addis, the visitors were unable to secure immediate recognition. The Emperor apparently spoke quite frankly to them, publicly scoring their failure to sign the nuclear test ban treaty and making his opposition to certain other Chicom policies and actions explicit. In all probability, moreover, Chou's endorsement in Somalia of the principle of territorial integrity rather than self-determination, which must have disenchanted the Somalis, reflected Ethiopian pressure brought to bear in the course of their visit to Asmara.

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SOMALIA (February 1-4)

Despite Chicom commitments of economic aid to Somalia totaling \$23 million, Somali officials regarded the Chou and Ch'en visit as somewhat of a necessary nuisance.

The joint Somali-Chicom communique expressed support for the convening of a second Bandung-type conference. It also referred to the need for peaceful coexistence, for the liquidation in Africa of imperialism, colonialism, and neo-colonialism, for the removal of foreign military bases in Asia and Africa, for the complete prohibition and total destruction of nuclear weapons, and for the creation of a nuclear-free zone in Africa. In addition, it called for increased Afro-Asian representation in UN bodies and for seating in the UN of representatives of the Peiping regime.

Our Ambassador in Mogadiscio has described the Chinese visit as "moderately successful," the principal result being the contribution to the Chinese world image. From the Somalis, the Chinese obtained these useful gestures: (1) Endorsement of an Afro-Asian Conference; (2) acceptance of an invitation to China by the Somali President; (3) vague statement of agreement on policies in Asia and Africa; (4) another friendly stopping place for the Chinese in Africa; and (5) a useful forum, because of the presence of large numbers of western press representatives, for airing Communist China's views.

What the Somalis obtained from the visit is a bit more doubtful--perhaps an improvement in working relationships with a large economic aid donor and a defining of a common anti-imperialist and anti-colonialist stand. On the other hand, the Chinese very carefully avoided expressions of public support for the Somali side in Somalia's dispute with Ethiopia and Kenya.

In a press conference held on February 3, Chou declared that "an excellent revolutionary situation exists in Africa" and that the people of many African countries that have won independence are pushing the revolution forward, with the aim of carrying through the national-democratic revolution and building up their countries." He also described attribution of the recent coup in Zanzibar to the Chicoms as an "unexpected honor." Such statements could scarcely have been reassuring to African governments already fearful of subversion. Moreover, Chou implied that Morocco and Ethiopia were countries which were, or recently had been, less than completely independent.

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AYUB SAID VISIT WAS STILL SUPPOSED TO START ON SCHEDULED DATE (FEB 18), AND HE WAS PLANNING ACCORDINGLY. AZIZ AHMED CONFIRMED THAT ORIGINAL SCHEDULE WAS TO BE ADHERED TO.

I NOTED THAT I HAD NOT SEEN ANY CHICOM OFFICIAL STATEMENT TAKING POSITION ON CURRENT SC DEBATE ON KASHMIR. IT LOOKED AS IF THEY WERE MAINTAINING CAREFULLY NEUTRAL POSITION.

BOTH AYUB AND AZIZ AHMED AGREED THAT CHICOMS WERE AGAIN BEING ENTIRELY NEUTRAL. AZIZ AHMED RECALLED THAT BEFORE 1962 GOI HAD COMPLAINED TO CHICOMS ABOUT THEIR NEUTRALITY ON KASHMIR.

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(1) Prior receipt reftel, Dept. briefed Chinese Embassy officer on CHOU visit Ethiopia and provided copy NCNA version joint communique. Briefing covered reftel points 2(A) and 4. Taipei should brief MOFA and Yaounde Ambassador WOO as recommended reftel with this in mind. With reference Security Council veto aspect point 3(B), however, you should state Dept. has reservations about use of this argument.

(2) Break with France over recognition Chicoms indicates sensitivity point 3(A) to GRC and extreme delicacy of recommending such approach. In view these factors, Dept. believes it highly unlikely contingencies described ultimate para. reftel will arise.

(3) In briefing Chinese Embassy officer, Dept. pointed out advantages each side derived from CHOU visit;

FOR IEG:

(a) Visit held on low key and confined to provincial town minimizing popular impact.

(b) Communique

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(b) Communique and CHOU statement in Mogadiscio registered Chicoms support for principle territorial integrity as against Somali goal of self-determination for Ogaden.

(c) ~~Imm~~ Immediate announcement diplomatic relations avoided.

(d) Visit improved Ethiopia's neutralist image.

FOR CHICOMS:

(a) HIM ~~anxious~~ to visit mainland once relations QUORE normalized UN ~~not~~ (though ~~no~~ no date set).

(b) Agreement to work toward establishment IEG-Chicom relations obtained.

(4) Dept. also made following points:

(a) Embassy ~~at~~ Addis has standing instructions brief and assist Ambassador WOO. (Taipei and Yaounde should appropriately stress opening para. reftel.)

(b) HIM anxious maintain his preeminent position in Africa and apparently feels this requires proof his neutralism by such acts as recognition Chicoms.

(c) Ambassador WOO should work through Foreign Minister and Premier.

(d) Final decision on recognition Chicoms will, in any case, rest with

HIM.

FOR ADDIS ABABA:

Dept. does not have authoritative text CHOU En-lai Mogadiscio statement referred to in Rabatts 1093 (not rptd Taipei and Yaounde). However, if you feel

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it would improve climate for WOO visit, suggest you bring to attention appropriate IEG officials unhappiness caused in Rabat by slighting reference made by GHOU to Morocco and Ethiopia, indicating peoples those monarchies not yet free.

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DATE: February 13, 1964

SUBJECT: Chou En-lai African Visit

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"The West African Pilot", which often publishes material critical of U.S. or favorable to the Soviets, carried a strongly anti-PRC feature article on February 12.

The story underlines PRC involvement in the Zanzibar coup. It ties the success of "a group of Communist-trained revolutionaries" to the activities of Kao Liang, the New China News Agency correspondent, and to the PRC training and assistance given to Foreign Minister Babu. It also suggests PRC involvement in the Tanganyikan troop mutiny and in Pierre Mulele's terrorism in the Congo's Kwilu province.

While asserting pride in Nigeria's non-alignment policy, the article asks whether Nigeria can ignore the threatened engulfment of other African countries by "the treachery of foreign-dominated organizations and groups that do not represent the will of the masses". In conclusion, it states "we have learned a great deal" from Chou En-lai's visit and exhorts him "please don't come back".

The article and five Thermo-Fax copies are enclosed.

For the Charge d'Affaires ad interim:

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FEBRUARY 12, 1965

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FAREWELL CHOU

PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI OF THE PEOPLES' REPUBLIC OF CHINA HAS FINALLY LEFT AFRICA. HIS DEPARTURE HAS NOT COME A MOMENT TOO SOON. HE HAS LEFT BEHIND A CONTINENT MORE TORN BY CRISIS, STRIFE AND DISCONTENT THAN AT ANY OTHER TIME IN RECENT HISTORY.

Communist China's foreign policy towards Africa has unquestionably had its greatest successes in East Africa in the last month.

The Zanzibar coup was the first victory. There, proclaiming a need for change, a guerilla band led by John Okello went on a campaign of death and destruction.

When it was all over, more than 2,000 Arabs were dead, thousands of houses and shops had been looted, and a group of Communist-trained revolutionaries had taken over the government.

Chou En-Lai could only have words of praise for his

lowed by troops of the armies of Uganda and Kenya.

A number of African political leaders have noticed the coincidence of Babu's activities and the attempted mutinies of the East African troops.

Chou's failure in East Africa



MR. CHOU EN-LAI

was costly. He had been invited to visit Kenya, Tanganyika and Uganda, but after the

By Michael Solanke

man on the scene, who directed the coup, Kao Liang, a New China news agency correspondent based in Dar-es-Salaam.

Kao Liang encouraged the revolutionary aspirations of a dissatisfied Zanzibar political leader, Abdul Rahaman Mohamed (Babu). He made it possible for Babu to train in Communist China in guerilla warfare and subversion.

He provided money, materials and advice. Without this help Babu could never have achieved the success that he has today. He is Foreign Minister of the Peoples Republic of Zanzibar, a strife-torn nation ruled by puppets of the Peoples Republic of China.

Chou En-Lai's next plan of action did not meet with the same success.

On January 16, Foreign Minister Babu was ordered to Dar-es-Salaam for a conference with Kao Liang.

After receiving instructions from Kao Liang, Babu made a series of quick trips to Nairobi, Kenya; Entebbe, Uganda; and back to Dar-es-Salaam.

Shortly after Babu's return to Zanzibar, troops of the Tanganyika army mutinied, fol-

lowing his invitation was postponed by all three governments.

Elsewhere, Chou En-Lai continued to meet with success. He has guaranteed the Government of Somalia his support in the border fighting with Kenya and Ethiopia. This support has already taken the form of arms and financial aid.

In the Congo, a rebel army led by Pierre Mulele is terrorizing the civilian population in Kwilu Province. Mulele's intention is to bring down the government of Premier Cyrille Adoula and wreck all that the United Nations has succeeded in building in the Congo over the last few years. Mulele was trained in Communist China, and his army's supply of arms and ammunition has come from communist countries.

Chou was also successful in West Africa, particularly in Ghana where he was warmly received by the Osagyefo, President Kwame Nkrumah. In return for Chou's pledge of £8 million in aid for Ghana, Nkrumah praised Communist China's efforts of "liberating" the Afro-Asian world from

the last vestiges of colonialism and imperialism.

In just seven weeks, Chou En-Lai has changed the course of development in Africa. Instead of a growing closeness between nations, we are now suspicious and distrustful of our neighbours. Our countries harbour the germs of treason and rebellion. Our leaders have grown to fear the threat of mutinies and coups.

The Foreign Ministers of the Organisation of African Unity will not have an easy time of it when they meet in Lagos this month. The problems are great, and the decisions they make may well affect the future of all Africa. The most immediate problem is the unrest in East Africa and the Congo.

In Nigeria we have always been proud of our policy of non-alignment. We only ask that the Eastern nations as well as the West respect our sovereignty.

But can we ignore the threat that other African nations are now facing? Are we to stand by and let these nations be engulfed by the treachery of foreign-dominated organisations and groups that do not represent the will of

the masses? This is a problem that our leaders must face, for while we are not immediately threatened, we may one day be the target of subversion and rebellion.

Chou En-Lai has returned



DR. NKURUMAH OF GHANA

to Peking. We have learned a great deal from his tour. All we can say in farewell is—bye-bye Chou, please don't come back.

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INFO : HONG KONG

FROM : Amembassy COLOMBO

DATE: FEBRUARY 13, 1964

SUBJECT : Visit of Chinese Communist Leaders to Ceylon

REF :

The Ministry of External Affairs on February 1 issued the following press communique:

"Premier Chou-en-lai of the State Council of the Peoples' Republic of China has accepted an invitation to visit Ceylon extended to him by the Prime Minister, Mrs. Sirimavo Bandaranaike, on her visit to China in 1962.

"Premier Chou-en-lai will be visiting Ceylon towards the end of this month in the course of his tour of foreign countries. He will be accompanied by Marshall Chen Yi, Vice Premier of the State Council and Foreign Minister of the Peoples' Republic of China.

"The date of the visit will be announced later."

The Ceylon Observer reported on February 11 that CHOU EN-LAI and party were scheduled to arrive in Ceylon on February 26 for a five-day visit. The head of the Asian Bureau at the Ministry of External Affairs told an officer of the Embassy that this report was essentially correct, although it was too early to confirm the date and length of the visit as reported by the Observer.

On January 31 the Ministry of Foreign Affairs issued the following release:

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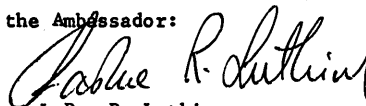
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"Madame Soong Ching Ling, Vice-Chairman of the Peoples' Republic of China will be visiting Ceylon towards the end of this month /February/ to deliver an address at Sri Palee, Horana, on an invitation extended to her by the Sri Palee Trust. During her stay here Madame Soong Ching Ling will be a State guest."

Comment: Sri Palee is an arts school founded by Wilmot PERERA, Ceylon's first Ambassador to Communist China and the present President of the Ceylon-China Friendship Society.

For the Ambassador:



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FROM KARACHI

CHOU EN-LAI VISIT

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1. WITH RUMORED ARRIVAL DATE OF FEB 18 LESS THAN WEEK AWAY, GOP HAS NOT YET MADE FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT CHOU EN-LAI VISIT. MOREOVER, THERE ARE INDICATIONS THAT NO FINAL AGREEMENT YET REACHED ON PROGRAM AND THAT ARRIVAL DATE ALSO STILL UNCERTAIN. MFA DIRGEN SALAM ALI TOLD DCM FEB 12 THAT DATE FOR CHOU EN-LAI VISIT NOT FIXED AND GOP STILL WAITING FOR "AN INDICATION" FROM CHICOMS AS TO ARRIVAL DATE.

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2. SIMILARLY, PRESIDENT'S PRINCIPAL SEC FAROOQI TOLD AUSTRALIAN HICOM FEB 11 SCHEDULED ARRIVAL DATE NOT YET FIRM. ON ASSUMPTION FEB 18 ARRIVAL, HOWEVER, GOP TENTATIVELY PLANNING ITINERARY INVOLVING ONE DAY VISIT KARACHI, THREE DAYS RAWALPINDI, ISLAMABAD AND TAXILA; TWO DAYS, LAHORE; ONE DAY, DACCA; AND VISIT TO CHITTAGONG FEB 25.

3. INFORMATION FROM OTHER SOURCES INCLUDE COMMENT BY TURKISH AMB TO POLITICAL COUNSELOR FEB 11 THAT HE RELIABLY INFORMED CHICOMS HAD PRESSED AYUB ACCEPT INVITATION COMMUNIST CHINA, BUT THAT AYUB FIRMLY DECLINED: AND COMMENT BY COUNSELOR INDONESIAN

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EMB THAT WHEN CHOU EN-LAI TRANSITED KARACHI FEB 4 HE HAD HEARD CHOU ASK FONSEC AZIZ AHMED ABOUT BEST MEANS REACHING COLOMBO FROM KARACHI. SINCE SAME EXCHANGE INCLUDED REFERENCE BY CHOU TO ZANZIBAR, INDONESIAN COUNSELOR SPECULATED THAT ZANZIBAR VISIT MIGHT BE POSSIBILITY.

4. COMMENT: WHILE BALANCE OF EVIDENCE WOULD STILL INDICATE CHOU EN-LAI WILL ARRIVE FOR SCHEDULED VISIT AROUND FEB 18, ABOVE WOULD INDICATE THAT FOR VARIETY REASONS POSSIBILITY REMAINS OF POSTPONEMENT OF VISIT. IN THIS CONNECTION IT OF INTEREST THAT PAKS STILL PLAYING VISIT IN RELATIVELY LOW KEY AND PUBLICITY ON VISIT VIRTUALLY NONEXISTENT RECENT DAYS IN PAK PRESS.

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Chinese Embassy informed Dept. Feb. 11 that Nigerian Ambassador to Liberia recently passed following information to GRC.colleague:

(1) CHOU En-lai made no effort stimulate invitation visit Nigeria during recent African trip. GON did not desire visit by CHOU therefore made no effort invite him.

(2) GON has no present intention attempt implement two Chinas policy.

(3) Following recent French recognition, policies various African countries toward Chicomis will possibly be affected by attitude NATO countries.

Chinese Embassy had no information to indicate whether Nigerian Ambassador has recently visited Lagos and is therefore reflecting current Foreign Ministry thinking on point (3) above or merely stating own estimate.

Lagos will be welcomed.

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DATE: February 12, 1964

SUBJECT: "Figaro" Series on Chou En-lai African Trip Notes Certain Subtleties of Race Question

REF :

"Figaro" currently is running a series of articles on Chou En-lai's recently concluded African trip by a special correspondent, Serge Bromberger, who evidently witnessed at least part of the Chou tour.

The first of Bromberger's articles, which appeared in the February 7 Figaro, was not very appreciative of the modus operandi of the Chinese Communists. This may in part have resulted from the latter's treatment of the press. Bromberger said that the Chinese monopolized existing tele-communication facilities -- even to the detriment of the press of the host country and refused to pass out even official communiques and programs to Western correspondents. Bromberger implied that this may have been due to the Chinese Communists' long isolation from international society. But he also suggested that it reflected their ethno-centric or "neo-imperialist" nature. Probably misleadingly identifying Chinese Communist behavior abroad to the exclusivism of the overseas Chinese, Bromberger nevertheless may have touched upon a valid political motive of the Chinese Communists in keeping a distance from Europeans in places like Africa by pointing out that the Chinese are exploiting to the fullest the fact that they are not white, while the Russians are. Bromberger said he was not sure how successful the Chinese Communists would be in this, pointing out that African opinion is still highly underdeveloped and unpredictable.

Bromberger made the interesting observation -- in discussing the exploitability of the color issue in Africa by the Chinese Communists -- that the Soviets in Africa now are no longer loath

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to fraternize with American officials at receptions. At the same time, the coolness of Soviet behavior toward Chinese Communist diplomats is hardly concealed. Bromberger wrote, "The change in concrete attitudes in these countries should be noted for measuring the depth of instinctive conflict which separates henceforth the two branches of communism. The aggressiveness of conversations and gestures among Chinese and Russian diplomats is scarcely veiled. By the same token, the détente between Washington and Moscow is manifested here in receptions by long private conversations between the American and the Russian and -- something unthinkable only two years ago -- Soviet junior officers engage without constraint in conversation with Europeans and even joke with them. It is an extraordinary novelty."

For the Ambassador:

John A. Bovey, Jr.

John A. Bovey, Jr.
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1) BRITISH AMB HAS TOLD ME ABOUT "ROUGHING UP" PCV'S BY SOMALIS IN HARGESIA. ASSUME DEPT AND EMB MOGADISCIO INFORMED THESE INCIDENTS. LOCAL PRESS ALSO GIVING CONSIDERABLE COVERAGE SOMALI TROOP ATTACK ON EADLCO HARGEISA (DEPTEL 651).

2) SEVERAL CORRESPONDENTS (INCLUDING REUTERS, TASS AND WEST GERMAN AGENCY) VISITING TUG WAJALE BORDER AREA FEB 12 AND 13 BY ARRANGEMENT IEG. USIS ALSO INVITED BUT NOT PARTICIPATING.

3) IN JOINT SESSION FEB 11 ETHIOPIAN PARLIAMENT UNANIMOUSLY RATIFIED IEG STATE OF EMERGENCY ORDER AND LAID RESPONSIBILITY FOR CURRENT CONFLICT ON GSR LEADERS. UCAA STUDENTS HAVE ALSO WRITTEN TO SOMALI PRIMIN SHERMARKE DEPLORING REPEATED VIOLATION ETHIOPIAN TERRITORY BY GSR.

4) BOTH ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPERS FEB 12 REPORT LE MONDE ARTICLE FEB 10, WHICH SAYS SOMALIS UNDOUBTEDLY WILL SEEK FASTER DELIVERIES SOVIET MIL EQUIPMENT AND ADDING QUOTE WILL US WHICH EQUIPS IN THE MAIN ETHIOPIAN ARMY REMAIN INDIFFERENT UNQUOTE.

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Memorandum of Conversation

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DATE: February 12, 1964

SUBJECT: Chicom Visit to North Africa

CHOU-EN-LAI

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Pierre Calogeras, Counselor of the Greek Embassy
Mr. David D. Newsom, Director, AFN

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Mr. Calogeras called to ask about the visit of Chou-en-Lai to Northern African countries.

Mr. Newsom briefly outlined Chou-en-Lai's itinerary through Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, the Sudan, Ethiopia and Somalia. He mentioned also the visits to West African countries and to Albania and Mr. Calogeras said he would enquire of offices handling those areas regarding those visits.

In answer to a question concerning the reaction to the Chou-en-Lai visit, Mr. Newsom said it was his general impression that Chou-en-Lai had scored some points by his relatively reasonable approach, but that the visit had by no means been an outstanding success. The impact had been lessened by reports of Chicom intervention in East Africa and by the desire of most non-aligned countries to avoid offending either the Soviet Union or the West.

The Moroccan visit was coolly formal with the emphasis apparently on trade. The Algerians carefully balanced attention to the Chinese with attention to the Algerian Mission which was then visiting Moscow. The Tunisians moved closer to an exchange of representatives but have balanced this by receiving a GRC representative. The Sudan visit did little to change existing relations between the two countries.

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In Ethiopia, the Emperor received Chou-en-Lai partly in order to retain Ethiopia's non-aligned image but kept the visit on a low key by receiving Chou-en-Lai in Asmara. There was an agreement to "normalize relations" but the timing on this is uncertain. The interest of both Ethiopia and Morocco in closer relations will undoubtedly be lessened by Chou-en-Lai's remarks regarding these two countries in his press conference in Mogadiscio.

The final visit to Somalia was more noteworthy by Chou's failure to respond to Somali efforts to obtain an endorsement of Somali territorial claims than it was by any dramatic changes in the existing relationships.

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